

PLANE MAKING CENTER POUNDED FOR THIRD TIME

Night Attack Climaxes Week Of Great Activity By 10,000 Allied Aircraft

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to attack ships unloading supplies for the Anglo-American troops. Allied coastal planes darted in to frustrate the enemy efforts.

Concerning land action in Italy, the official communique from Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson's headquarters had few details. Although little was known of developments on the beachhead, where the Allies were preparing to meet an anticipated German all-out drive, both on the Cassino and Eighth Army fronts Nazi counter-thrusts were repulsed.

On the eastern front, the Red Army drove at the rate of 15 miles in the last 24 hours and smashed its way into the outskirts of Pskov, barring the way into northern Latvia and southern Estonia. While one Soviet spearhead entered the city's environs from the east, another advanced Russian element was only six miles above the key railroad junction.

Other Russian troops advancing north of captured Rogachev menaced the important rail junctions of Mogilev, Orsha and Vitebsk—all important enemy bastions shielding the approach of the Baltic states.

Halfway around the globe, the Japs also suffered setbacks.

A German overseas agency broadcast quoted a Tokyo dispatch as saying that a fierce battle has been raging for days at Guam, where a Jap garrison is resisting attack by an American naval force. There was nothing in official Allied circles to substantiate the enemy transmission, although the former American island outpost was known to have been attacked by a U. S. carrier force which also took a toll of 135 Japanese planes during a daring assault on the Marianas islands.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz' communique said 11 enemy ships were destroyed or damaged in the Marianas attack, but none of these were warships that the American navy has been seeking to engage in a showdown fight.

Allied airmen attacked Rabaul, New Britain, and met no opposition; they also hammered Wewak and Reij bay, New Britain.

BERMUDA BIRTHS RISE
HAMILTON, Bermuda.—A total of 955 births was reported in Bermuda last year out of an estimated 35,000 permanent population. This was an all-time high. The problem is complicated by the fact that 21 percent of the births were illegitimate, which raises a moral and social problem of some magnitude for a small community of mixed population.

WAR DOGS CITED
WASHINGTON, D. C.—Six war dogs attached to the U. S. Marine Corps have been cited for outstanding performance against Japanese forces on Bougainville Island. Two of the dogs were wounded in action. Both will recover. The dogs included four Doberman pinschers, a Belgian shepherd and a German shepherd.

Portland, Me., was so thoroughly destroyed by the Indians in 1690, that no one was left to bury the victims; their bleached bones were gathered up and buried some two years later.

NEW FORD MOTOR GARAGE OPENS IN CITY MARCH 1

A new Ford Motor Co. sales and service establishment will be opened in Circleville March 1, the business marking the first time the Ford company has had a local agency for several years.

The Harry E. Clifton building, West Main street, has been leased by E. S. Creachbaum and G. C. Schumacher of St. Louis, Mo. Their lease starts March 1, and they expect to open for business shortly after that time.

Both men have been employees of the Ford Motor Co., working out of Detroit for the last 10 years.

While sales will of course be limited to the company to be named the C. and S. Motor Sales Co., will provide automobile service.

COURT DENIES TRIAL STAY FOR JAMES COLLETT

Also Refused Right Study Autopsy Report In Triple Murder

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had not been covered before when the defendant asked a bill of particulars, which the court had denied.

The prosecutor declared that the state would demand the death penalty for Collett, a prominent Clinton county farmer.

"We will ask the death penalty, and in a crime so horrible in which three persons were slain, we would not think of asking anything else," he said.

The state, which had called only three witnesses up to Friday, added two more to its list, including Miss Kathryn Wead, with whom Mildred McCoy taught at Pittsburgh, Darke county, and Maxine Allen, also a friend. Both live at Xenia.

The trial is attracting much attention throughout the state.

WALNUT SCHOOL TAKES LEAD IN PAPER SALVAGE

Walnut township school took the lead in the county schools' scrap paper salvage drive Friday when it reported seven tons of paper collected by school youngsters.

Six tons have already been hauled to dealers' while the other will be hauled into Circleville early next week.

The drive was declared to be a great success in the Walnut township area.

No other townships have reported the results of their campaign.

Carl Bennett, Walnut township superintendent, said the drive was so successful at his school because each class was competing against the other. The class having the finest report in poundage was to receive the check for all the paper sold to salvagers. He said the sophomore class had collected 4,500 pounds, pacing all others: None of the classes collected less than 2,000 pounds.

Reports from other schools are expected to be received early next week.

The gila monster of Mexico has a large, heavy looking tail. It is very useful to him, for inside it he stores up fat on which he can draw when the fierce desert drought sets in.

Local Theatres Offer Moviegoers Varied Entertainment



GREER GARSON and Walter Pidgeon portray Marie and Pierre Curie, the world-famous scientists and discoverers of radium, in M-G-M's filmization of Eve Curie's best-selling biography of her mother, "Madame Curie." The romance of the Curies is one of the tenderest love stories ever told. It appears Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at the Grand theatre.

PICKLE FAMILY BRAWLS OVER SCION CUSTODY

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Feb. 26.—A bitter custody battle for Clifford Heinz III, four-year-old son of the famous pickle family, was under way today, following an opening round of hair-pulling and shin-kicking.

Mrs. Sara MacLean obtained an assault and battery warrant charging that her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Bald Heinz of Baltimore, Md., struck and kicked her, pulled her hair and choked her in a street encounter in Beverly Hills.

Mrs. Heinz, surrendered later to Detective Capt. W. W. White at the Beverly Hills police station, and immediately hurled counter-charges against her mother-in-law and estranged husband, Clifford S. Heinz II.

She charged that Heinz took their son from New York City three weeks ago without informing her. Seeking custody of the child, Mrs. Heinz sought a writ of habeas corpus, returnable Monday in Los Angeles superior court.

Mrs. MacLean, meanwhile, gave a play-by-play account of the battle:

"While I was walking with my grandson," Mrs. MacLean said, "my daughter-in-law got out of a car. She struck me, kicked my leg, grabbed me by the throat and pulled my hair. Then she struck my grandson on the forehead."

Mrs. Heinz countered by saying that Mrs. MacLean started the fracas by "seizing me by the hair and pulling me to the ground."

C. C. NEUMER DIES
Christopher C. Neumer, native of Pickaway county but a resident of Columbus for many years, died Friday at his home in the capital city. Mr. Neumer's survivors include two daughters, five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. The funeral was held Saturday with burial in a cemetery near Lancaster.

CURTAIN CATCHES FIRE
A curtain was burned at the home of Mrs. R. E. Hundley, 122 York street, Saturday at 11:40 a. m., firemen being called to the home. Whether a stove became overheated, or just what caused the fire was not certain.

ASHVILLE

Emerson Squire, son of Mrs. Addie Squire, has been transferred from New York City to Chicago, where he will receive additional training for the Counter Intelligence Corps. The C. I. C. is an army corps, similar to the F. B. I. at home, which follows close to the fighting lines and presses hard on the heels of the retreating enemy to obtain revealing information left behind by the enemy. While little is known about the C. I. C. outside the army, its members are among the unsung heroes of the war.

Sergeant Jerry Millar received a furlough to attend the semi-finals and finals of the county tournament.

Sport fans who are awed by the mystery of numbers are pointing at Notre Dame's basketball record. Of their first 14 games this season, the "Fighting Irish" won games 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 and 13, and lost games 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14.

Dale Schiff is wearing a patch over one eye—the result of an infection on the eyeball, which is not considered to be serious.

The high school listened to a talk Friday given by a representative of the National Red Cross, who explained the work of his organization and how it aids the boys in service.

The mystery of the white discs painted on the Columbus streets and some state highways has been solved. Workmen have been busy painting red crosses on these discs as a means of keeping the public aware of the coming Red Cross drive.

SIX LOCAL MEN SWORN IN FOR ARMY SERVICE

Six men who reported at Fort Thomas, Ky., this week to start training in the U. S. army have been sworn into service. Local draft board was informed by Fort Thomas that they are now in the army. They left here as civilians after passing pre-induction physicals several weeks ago in Huntington, W. Va.

The men sworn in were Otto J. Blubaugh, Lloyd E. Davy, Lloyd R. Linton, William Guy Cain, Jr., Arthur C. Wilkes, and Theodore Riggins. William Arledge, who also went with the group, was not sworn in immediately pending further physical examination.

Where the men will be assigned for training has not yet been decided.

HENRY McCRAIDY FILES FOR COUNTY ENGINEER

Henry McCraidy, Pickaway county engineer, today became the first office-seeker to file his petition for renomination and election. Mr. McCraidy's petition was presented to the board of elections Saturday morning. He is a Democrat.

March 10 is the final date for filing petitions, the primary being May 9.

FUGITIVES CAPTURED

Four youths who walked away from the Orient institution for feeble-minded sometime Friday were taken into custody Saturday morning by Deputy Sheriff Vern Pontious. The youths spent the night in a hog house on a farm near Five Points. Custodians from Orient were to call at the sheriff's office later in the day to return the quartet.

NEW SOLDIER SHOW
CARLISLE, Pa.—A new soldiers' show from the Army's medical field service school at Carlisle is taking to the road again to aid the Fourth War Loan drive. It is called "Ten Nights in a Sideshow."



BILLY GILBERT and Frank Fay share the spotlight in the comedy "Spotlight Scandals" which is coupled with "The Racket Man", at the Cliftona theatre Sunday and Monday. Also featured in "Spotlight Scandals", will be Bonnie Baker, Herb Miller and his band, the Radio Rogues and Henry King's orchestra.

U. S. NIPS WOULD TRAVEL OVER NATION AT WILL

Full Rights And Privileges Of Citizenship Asked In 11 Point Program

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sponsibilities in the war effort," the petition began.

It went on to explain that the evacuees suffered "severe economic losses and hardships and are faced with numerous problems both present and future."

The council demanded that any resettlement policy of the evacuees still remaining in the centers "be coupled with adequate government protection and the economic means to start life anew."

"We believe that the rights and privileges of citizenship should, in all justice, be combined with the duties and obligations of citizenship," it continued.

Requests Listed

The statement also asked:

1. "That all evacuees be accorded all rights and privileges which the constitution of the United States gives them."

2. "That evacuees' right to travel and live wherever he chooses within any of the 48 states and territories of the United States, on the very same basis as any other American citizen or resident, be restored without delay."

3. "That clarification be made regarding the voting and residential status of Japanese-Americans."

4. "That the right to become naturalized citizens of the United States be extended to the alien Japanese."

5. "That pending complete resettlement, relocation centers be preserved and evacuees remaining therein be accorded treatment befitting loyal Americans and law-abiding residents, and that adequate wages be paid them according to U. S. army standards."

MRS. STELLA SHIREY DIES IN CAPITAL HOSPITAL

Mrs. Stella Shirey, 44, wife of John L. Shirey of 176 South Paint street, Chillicothe, died Friday at 2:25 p. m. in Grant hospital where she had been a patient for the last five months. Mrs. Shirey was a sister of Mrs. Russell Miller of Paris, Texas, formerly of Circleville, and was widely known in the community.

Mrs. Shirey leaves in addition to Mr. Shirey and Mrs. Miller, her mother, Mrs. Anna Rhoades Walters, of Chillicothe; three other sisters, Mrs. C. C. Alton, of Lancaster; Miss Edythe Walters of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. V. L. Burkholder of Washington, Ind.

The body will be at the Deffenbaugh funeral home where friends may call until Monday at 2:30 p. m. when services will be held in Trinity Lutheran church. The Rev. George L. Troutman will officiate. Burial will be on the Walters family lot in Forest cemetery.

HOSKINS WILL

The will of the late Sherman Hoskins of Darby township establishes a life estate for his widow, Jennie, with O. J. Ray of Mount Sterling appointed as executor. The property is estimated to be worth \$5,300.

Readin' writin' n' refreshment

DRINK Coca-Cola 5¢

Japs' Navy Still Lacks Fight Nerve

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American force was detected and attacked yet American warships escaped damage and only six United States planes were lost.

Although Jap land-based torpedo planes and bombers attacked the United States raiders the night and morning of February 22 they failed to stop American aircraft from smashing the Marianas. Preliminary reports showed the Japs lost a total of 135 planes and had two ships sunk and nine damaged, mostly cargo vessels.

The victory for American forces was significant because it came less than a week after powerful aircraft carrier task units smashed the main Jap base at Truk in the Carolines.

This does not mean that the main units of Japan's fleet will not go into battle eventually. Naval officers have warned that the enemy may be waiting an opportune moment to strike back.

Meanwhile, however, America's Pacific fleet has been roaming through Jap strongholds at will, smashing bases and cutting off enemy garrisons' supply lines from the home land.

Major Jap fleet units were sighted at Truk prior to the American attack, but they fled before United States carrier planes roared in for their two-day assault on that base February 18-17.

It was believed for a while that the fleeing Jap warships had sought haven at Saipan, but results of the February 22 raids disclosed they had moved further west either toward the Philippines or Japan.

The Saipan raid paved the way for smashing new blows by the United States Pacific fleet still deeper into Japan's stolen ocean empire.

GREEDY PARENTS UNDER ATTACK

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his hands and gets into mischief. "Parents should be the first to know if their children are not attending school or if their grades are low. They should take steps then to prevent the children from becoming delinquent."

The only lowering of moral standards which Barnett said he had observed was the result of the industrialization of women. "Women have adopted the double standard," he said. "They are doing the jobs of laborers, truck drivers and welders among other things and they cannot see why they cannot do all the things that men do."

"It is adults who raise or lower moral standards—children merely reflect the change."

In the average human hand the third finger is as long as the hand is wide, and the space from the body of the hand to the wrist measures the same. Gloves are made in that proportion.

CIRCLE 2 BIG HITS 2

SUN.-MON.-TUES. 2 HITS!

LASSIE Come Home

IT'S GREAT! SEE IT!

PLUS HIT NO. 2 "BULLET CODE" — with — GEORGE O'BRIEN



"LASSIE Come Home", starring Roddy McDowall and the dog named Lassie, will be featured at the Circle theatre in its Sunday, Monday and Tuesday bill. Also in the theatre's bill is "Bullet Code", with George O'Brien.



NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Private First Class Delos H. Marcy of Fort George Meade, Maryland, arrived in Circleville Saturday for a short furlough.

Marine Private First Class Glenn Dunkle of Washington, D. C., is home for a short furlough.

Sergeant Jerry Millar of Camp Atterbury, Ind., has arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Millar, near South Bloomfield, for a furlough.

Marion I. (Irvin) Smith has been promoted from staff sergeant to technical sergeant. He also has a birthday March 24. His address is ASN 35404568, APO 635, care of Postmaster, N. Y. His complete address may be obtained from his sister, Mrs. Harry Styers, Jr., 957 South Pickaway street. He is serving in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis, East Mound street, received word this week from their son, Corporal Harold E. Davis, that he has arrived safely in Australia. His address is: ASN 3542411, APO 9025, care of postmaster, San Francisco, Cal.

Earl Hickie, formerly of New Holland, has been promoted from corporal to sergeant. Hickie is at Fort McClelland, Ala. His wife is living in Washington C. H. while he is in service.

When General Sherman generalized that "war is hell," he probably overlooked the fact that even hell is not such a helluva spot at times. There's always the lighter side to help the hell-raisers grin and bear it.

For instance, there was the case of Pvt. John Lafferty's chest. A Hattiesburg, Miss., physician heard strange noises through his stethoscope in the vicinity of Private Lafferty's sternum, and had him sent to the hospital. It turned out to be a new racket: simply hair crunching on the soldier's manly chest!

Private Ralph Fausmaugh has been assigned to LaJunto, Colorado, in the 101st twin engine flight training squadron.

Private Virgil P. Timmons, has been assigned the following address: 35298734, Company B, 4th

ADULTS ALWAYS—25c

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SUN - MON

TWO GOOD PICTURES

SPOTLIGHT SCANDALS

FEATURE NO. 2

HE BUSTED NEW RACKERS WIDE OPEN — FOR UNCLE SAM!

THE RACKET MAN

with TOM HEAL, JEANNE BATES, HUGH BEAUMONT, LARRY PARKS, BONNIE FOWLEY

A COLUMBIA PICTURE

SUNDAY MON.-TUES.

MR. & MRS. MINIVER TOGETHER AGAIN

In a new screen triumph!



GREER GARSON WALTER PIDGEON

Madame Curie

with Henry TRAVERS • Albert BASSERMAN Robert WALKER • C. Aubrey SMITH Dame May WHITTY • Victor FRANZEN Elsa BASSERMAN • Reginald OWEN Van JOHNSON • Margaret O'BRIEN

THE OLD HOME TOWN Registered U. S. Patent Office By STANLEY

I JUST FELL OFF A LADDER IN TH' LODGE HALL AND THOSE WOMEN OVER THERE TAKING A RE-FRESHER COURSE IN FIRST AID WENT TO WORK ON ME. WILL YOU FIX ME UP?—THEY MISSED THE BUMP ON MY HEAD!!

OH DOCTOR!—YOU REMEMBER THOSE FIRST AID CLASSES!

STANLEY

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HERALD PHOTO-FLASHES

ACCUSED BOY SLAYER, 16, READS BIBLE IN JAIL



"I DON'T KNOW. I guess the devil got me." That's what police say Edward Warrichait, 16-year-old farm boy, answered when asked why he had killed his mother and sister at their farm home near St. Charles, Mich. Arrested at Greenville, O., for stealing a car, the boy was returned to Saginaw, where police said Edward dictated a confession while thumbing a Bible and stroking a brown and white terrier that fled the farm with him. The victims of the admitted 'teen-age murderer were Mrs. Blanche Warrichait, 44, and Esther, 9. Edward is shown in jail and signing a confession. (International)

THE VACCHIANOS, TOO, DO THEIR BIT--AND HOW!



THE THREE VACCHIANO BROTHERS of Chicago—Frank, left; James Patrick, center, and Carmen Vacchiano, prepared to leave for the Army the same day, stand to one side and receive the salutes of their wives and children. From left: Frederik, age seven, and Edna, Carmen's son and wife; Mildred, James Patrick's wife, and daughter, Diana Mae, age three; Josephine, Frank's wife, who holds their son, Frank Junior, age two-and-a-half. They all look mighty proud—with good reason! (International)

BARKLEY RE-ELECTED LEADER

Mayor for a Day



U. S. SENATOR Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky (standing, rear) addresses his Democratic colleagues in caucus at Washington after they had unanimously re-elected him their leader. His re-election, cancelling his resignation, was regarded as endorsement of his stand against Pres. Roosevelt's veto of the tax bill. (International Soundphoto)



PRETTY RUTH BOND, dancer and comedienne, has been appointed mayor of Rutherford, N. J., her home town, for a day. She won the honor by making such large bond sales during a personal appearance tour for the Fourth War Loan drive. (International)

BOMBERS HIT JAP AIR BASE IN DARING RAID



THIS UNUSUAL photograph shows the dash, speed and daring that go into an air raid on an enemy base. B-25's of the Fifth Air Force fly low and leave burning Jap planes and installations behind them on Dagau airfield, one of the enemy's major air bases in the Wewak, New Guinea area. (International)

'SOUP'S ON' FOR NAZI PRISONERS



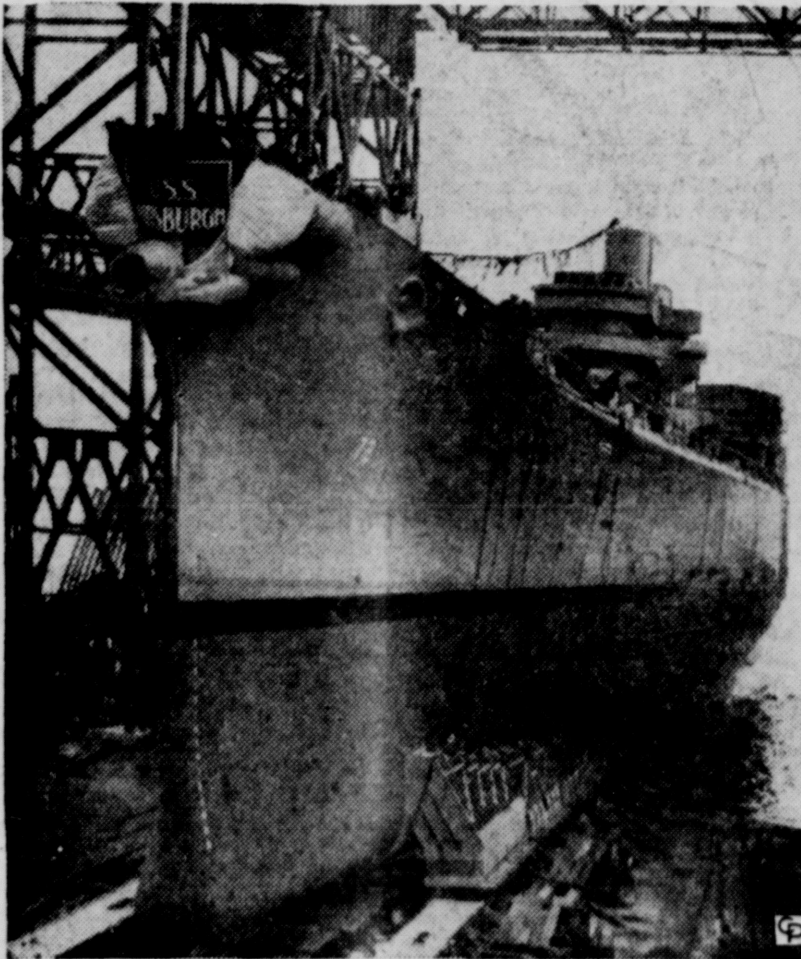
MUCH TO THEIR SURPRISE, these Germans taken prisoner while trying to oust the Allies from their beachhead below Rome found a meal of C rations awaiting them behind the Allied lines. The "chef" is Cpl. Jack McDermott of Lorraine, O. Signal Corps Radiophoto. (International)

HUNGRY ITALIANS BEG FOOD SCRAPS



ITALIAN WOMEN and children hoping to rummage for food scraps in U. S. Army garbage cans near Cassino are stopped by Cpl. John Messina of Port Chester, N. Y. Doughboys have been donating their clean leftovers and part of their rations to hungry civilians. (International)

U. S. S. PITTSBURGH IS LAUNCHED



SPONSORED by Mrs. C. D. Scully, wife of the mayor of Pittsburgh, the U. S. S. Pittsburgh, third vessel to be named for the Smoky City, goes down the way in Boston, Mass. (International Soundphoto)

THREE OF HER QUADRUPLTS DIE



DEATH HAS TAKEN three of the quadruplets born on Washington's birthday to Mrs. Spencer Hutto (above), 23, at Decatur, Ala. Her husband, 25, is a paratrooper at Fort Benning, Ga. Two girls and a boy died, leaving a daughter, Diane. (International Soundphoto)

ATHLETIC HEROES NOW FIGHTING FOR UNCLE SAM



EX-COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC STARS, this group now is in training at the Naval Aviation school at St. Mary's college, California. Left to right are Everett Riddle and George Robotham of U. C. L. A.'s Pacific Coast conference championship football team of 1942; Irving Moore, national junior pole vaulting champ; Burl Jennings, national intercollegiate wrestling champ, and Grover Klemmer, California's quarter-mile champion. This is an official United States Navy photograph. (International)

RED ARMY CHIEFS WHO ARE PUSHING NAZIS BACK



Gen. N. F. Vatutin
First Ukrainian front

Marshal I. S. Konyev
Second Ukrainian front

Gen. K. Rokossovsky
Belo-Russian front



Gen. Rodion L. Malinovsky
Third Ukrainian front

Gen. Kyril A. Meretskov
Volkhov front

Gen. Leonard A. Govorov
Leningrad front

Gen. F. I. Tolbukhin
Fourth Ukrainian front

SILHOUETTE OF DESTRUCTION

It's "The Fox"



FIELD MARSHAL ERWIN ROMMEL, former commander of the Afrika Korps and now in charge of the defense of "Festung Europa," is shown as he inspected German fortifications along the invasion coast. German caption says the photo was made near a railroad battery. (International)



ON WIRES that only seem dangerously thin, a 4,000-lb. bomb is hoisted very carefully into its rack aboard a giant Lancaster about to fly from England on a mission to Germany. The armorers' "thumbs up" shows that all goes well with the delicate job. (International)

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STRANGE INVITATION

BILL Jack of that strange business institution, the Jack and Heinz company, has gone a step further in his get-together dinners for Jahco employees. This time he has invited all members of congress to dine with him in Washington. Nothing like this invitation has ever before been issued. Many senators and congressmen are at a loss as to proper procedure. Should they accept? If so, will they be under some obligation to their hosts, making discussions of renegotiation embarrassing?

Some lawmakers look at it differently. These believe that, inasmuch as they are part of the government, supposed to represent the people, anything enabling them to know more about what Americans think and want will help them do their job better. Some will accept out of sheer curiosity as to what it's all about. Some timid legislators will be afraid to face anything new. Comment as to the invitation itself is also varied. The Cleveland Plain Dealer regards the affair as in "bad taste, at least." Others think, if a citizen wants to tell congress, he has a right to invite its members to dinner and tell them all at once. They think it's better to be open and forthright than to work through noisy blocs or undercover paid persuaders.

The affair will be interesting from any point of view, and most Americans whether inclined, at first, to praise or blame, await its issue with curiosity.

KIRI LEAVES

SUPERSTITION is nothing to encourage, except among enemies. Japanese superstitions are being used to win the war. The kiri tree has large, yellow saw-like leaves, which to a Japanese are omens of speedy death. The Office of War Information, learning this, printed messages on sheets resembling kiri leaves, and dropped them on the enemy at Attu. Many are said to have died in consequence.

Before long our planes may have a chance to drop kiri leaves on the mainland of Japan itself.

THIS BROADENING LIFE

IF education is good in itself, there is something to be said in favor of the war. Who in this country five years ago could have told much about the Solomons or the Aleutians, or had ever heard of the Kwajalein atoll?

Nor is all the new knowledge geographical. Words like "global," "geopolitics" and "logistics" are, since Pearl Harbor, used freely by people who not so long ago would not have known flak if they had met it in the street.

If there is merit in broader information, we are getting it.

Those Pacific islands have poetical names, but there's no poetry in taking 'em.

The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

By DREW PEARSON

PHIL MURRAY WILL FIGHT

WASHINGTON—The second talk which CIO chief Phil Murray had with President Roosevelt over a national service act was probably the most significant from labor's point of view.

The President wanted to see Murray in order to get the powerful backing of CIO unions for the administration's subsidy fight in congress. The Scotch-burred CIO chieftain, one of Roosevelt's staunchest supporters, readily promised his aid on subsidies. Then the President remarked that he had noted Murray was opposed to his labor draft proposal.

Murray told him that he was most emphatically opposed.

"For whom do you speak?" asked the President.

Murray replied that he spoke for the CIO.

Whereupon Roosevelt handed him a telegram from Julius Emspak, head of the Electrical Workers, a CIO union, endorsing a national service act. The Electrical Workers is one of the left-wing CIO unions, and the President indicated that he had other telegrams of endorsement from left-wing CIO unions, including Harry Bridges' longshoremen and Joseph Curran's National Maritime union.

Despite this strong hint that Murray couldn't control his own unions, the CIO chief stood his ground. He asked the President whether he intended to go ahead with his plan to draft labor, even if congress would not approve his entire five-point program.

These five points included: (1) a realistic tax law taxing unreasonable profits; (2) renegotiation of war contracts; (3) subsidies to keep prices down; (4) a new price-wage stabilization act; (5) a national service act.

MURRAY WINS HARMONY

Murray asked this question because he knew congress was opposing most of this program and that the President would have a hard time carrying the first four points. A national service act might be easier.

Roosevelt agreed that congress might not pass his entire program but said he would press for the labor draft just the same.

Murray then replied that he would fight him to the very end.

Immediately afterward, Murray called a meeting of his CIO executive board. His Scotch ire was up. He looked daggers at the left-wing union leaders who had wired the President.

"Gentlemen," he said, his voice edgy with anger, "what policy are we following here—the CIO policy or a foreign policy? At Philadelphia we laid down a policy the CIO was to follow against a national service act, but now I find that there are other policies."

What Murray had in mind was the frequent AFL accusation that some of the CIO unions are dominated or influenced by Russia. The Russian policy has been to win the war at all costs, whether it means drafting labor, working long hours, or anything else.

Harry Bridges, of the West Coast longshoremen, gave Murray a rather mild reply to justify his telegram to the White

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LAFF-A-DAY



"I wish I had something to throw into reverse!"

DIET AND HEALTH

Air-Swallowing A Universal Ill

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

IF YOU wish to be euphemistic and polite and at the same time scientific you will say that the gentleman you have just been conversing with is suffering from aerophagia.

Dr. Clending will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

versing with— is troubled with aerophagia. But you will not be nearly so intelligent to the average person as if you said—"He burps." Or to descend really into the language of the street you may say—"He did quite a bit of belching."

For most of us this aerophagia is a pleasure, even a luxury. The act is followed by a feeling of well-being. All is quiet along the equator after a good burp. And that is the healthy, normal way to regard the event. But for certain unhappy people it takes on a gloomy aspect. They burp, but they do not enjoy it. They get the idea that it is due to the fermentation of food and this means indigestion and the outlook is ominous.

Now it is comforting to know that investigations have shown that gas on the stomach is not a serious sign at all, nor an indication that the food is fermenting, or that it is not digesting properly. It is due to the habit, quite unconscious, of swallowing air. And the burp does not consist of the results of fermentation, but just plain atmosphere.

Swallow Air

We all swallow some air with each deglutition whether it is of food, fluid or saliva. The amount accumulated after a meal or a drink expands into a bubble at the top of the food level in the stomach and is shortly and quite spontaneously "burped."

An X-ray specialist showed me a veteran soldier behind a fluoro-scope the other day, drinking a glass of beer. First we could see the small air bubbles that follow each other down the esophagus into the stomach with each swallow of the beer mixture. They formed the usual stomach bubble, resting on top of the barium.

Then the patient was instructed to rid himself of gas, and a truly startling set of maneuvers started. He seemed to start sucking and large bubbles of gas travelled down the esophagus to the stomach, distending it rapidly

to quite a degree and making up as much as twice the amount of barium mixture ingested. After the fourth or fifth sucking the whole bubble was released and looked as if it gave quite a bit of satisfaction.

Causes of Gas

Such is the mechanism in the case of the average belcher. There are some real conditions that cause accumulations of gas on the stomach—one is gallbladder trouble, one is obstruction of the outlet of the stomach from ulcer, after which real food fermentation occurs. The only other way gas accumulates in the stomach without being swallowed is from the action of a Selditz powder.

The treatment of the condition is obviously first the use of education to explain the mechanism of the habit. The old idea of putting a cork between the teeth after every meal is cruel and unnecessary. Instruction that swallowing be properly done "by closing the lips, sucking in the cheeks and pressing the tongue against the roof of the mouth before swallowing" is too tedious. Taking five or six deep breaths when assailed with a persistent desire to "burp" is more likely to bring good results.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

A. B.:—Will eserin stop or prevent cataract?
Answer:—Eserine is used for glaucoma of the eye and marginal corneal ulcers, not for cataract.

LENTEN REDUCING DIET

By Dr. Clending

Saturday—450 Calories

BREAKFAST

1 small baked apple—no sweetening or cream.
1 Rusk—no butter or substitute.
1 cup coffee—no cream or sugar.

LUNCHEON

Average helping Roast Capon.
2 tablespoons green beans.
Small helping gelatin dessert—no cream or sauce.
1 cup coffee or tea—no cream or sugar.

SUPPER

1 cup cream soup—made with milk.
2 soda crackers, or 1 slice whole wheat toast.
1 cup tea or coffee—no cream or sugar.

STARS SAY—

For Saturday, February 26

A PARTICULARLY lively and progressive day is forecast from the predominant lunar and mutual aspects. It is a time for summoning exceptional talents and skills for promoting cherished goals, especially if they have a decided mechanical or engineering objective and are in connection with group or public service of far reaching scope. Finance may be under expansive fire, and should embrace support from influential sources, with promotion and preferments as rewards for merit and sturdy work, even against certain deep oppositions or dubious entanglements. Domestic, social and affectional affiliations should also thrive.

If It Is Your Birthday

Those whose birthday it is may enjoy a year of expansive, productive and fruitful effort, with the energies and faculties under high impetus for outstanding achievements, with recognition, promotion and probably public honors. Major aims and objectives are happily stressed, with new openings for enduring returns and rewards. The personal social, domestic and love life contribute to general

A Model is Murdered ~ BABS LEE

SYNOPSIS

A mysterious assassin cut short the gay career of Syria Verne, artists' model, just as she was answering the telephone in her penthouse apartment to which she had returned soon after midnight following a quarrel with Pierre Sturgis, art photographer. The police could find no gun, significant fingerprints, nor other evidence of an intruder. The evening of the murder, Syria had met an old friend, Argus Steele, author and former detective, in the Penguin Club where he was dining with Ellen Curtis, a model. Syria left accompanied by Sturgis. Bill Carstairs, III, playboy introduced his latest blonde, Dorry, to Ellen and Argus. Later, Ellen found Dorry in the ladies' room, weeping because her Bill "was phoning that awful Syria Verne again." Ellen noticed a snubbed revolver in Dorry's open purse. . . . Next morning, Ellen phoned Argus to tell him that Syria had been murdered. Police Inspector Grange visited her. Later, Argus met Ellen who introduced him to Roger Flagg in the latter's model agency. They are discussing the late Syria Verne.

CHAPTER EIGHT

"She was wearing a diamond ring last night," observed Ellen. "Was she robbed?"
"No," said Argus. "I had a visit from my old friend, Inspector Grange, this morning." Flagg looked interested. He sat forward in his chair. "He told me that the doors and windows were all locked," Argus continued, "and that Syria was still wearing that ring. He also told me that you, Mr. Flagg, were responsible for phoning the superintendent who found the . . ."
"That's right," Flagg cut in. "Syria had an appointment this morning at 8:30. When she didn't appear at 8:45, I had my secretary phone. I guess the inspector told you the rest."

"Yes, he did."
"Oh, Argus!" Ellen said, "you must find Syria's murderer!"
"Ellen! I led me to believe you may be willing to help solve this case. I certainly hope so."
"I'm afraid Ellen's right," said Argus. "She was murdered." Argus gazed around the office as they talked. There were more "blown-up" pictures of Flagg's famous models arrayed in a line on the wall. Some of them were ecstatically photographed. One, directly opposite Flagg's desk, Argus couldn't miss. "To Roger, the Aladdin who made my dreams come true—Love and kisses." The signature was that of a world-famous movie star.

Then Argus recognized the photograph of a sultry looking brunette, her eyes half-closed, her head thrown back, her full lips parted. It was a picture of Syria Verne. Ellen was in the gallery too, laughing down at him from a corner of the room. Argus was reminded of the once famous Earl Carroll slogan: "Through these portals pass the most beautiful girls in the world."

One-Minute Test

1. Which is the smallest of the six continents?
2. What is Indian summer known as in England?
3. What state has frontage on four of the Great Lakes?

Words of Wisdom

A loving heart is the truest wisdom.—Dickens.

Today's Horoscope

When you can forget yourself you are very entertaining. You are intellectual but inclined to be over-sensitive, and should cultivate self-confidence. You are careful and considerate, and, although slow in drawing conclusions, are unusually accurate in your judgments. You are also affectionate and loving. Love, domestic and social affairs bring

well-being and happiness. Sidelstep under-cover lures or intrigue. A child born on this day should have much ability and ambition with many opportunities in life for attaining position, prestige and personal happiness.

For Sunday, February 27

SUNDAY's horoscope is a fairly lively and pleasant one, with literary, artistic and all forms of cultural and educational vocations or avocation claiming major attention. The social, domestic and emotional life may be well favored with probable success and advancement in connection with group, community or public service. There might be a conspicuous preference for favor therein.

Those whose birthday it is may prepare for an outstanding year in which the energies, talents and forces may concentrate on attaining some measure of public, community, or fraternal tokens of appreciation and preferment. The fortunes may also be under progressive and creative stimuli for growth, increased possession, bequests, honors and other symbols of regard and popularity.

A child born on this day should possess much talent, ambition and energy for a useful, pleasant and honored career, perhaps in the public eye.

A sea-going mechanical cow was recently installed on an Army transport, guaranteed to produce 40 gallons of emulsified milk or cream in an hour. Into the interior of the robot cow is poured sweet butter, milk powder and water. Centrifugal force does the rest, producing milk of any desired butterfat content.

"The police were here this morning," Flagg said. "They said they had placed her death around midnight."

"Have they any idea at all who did it?" Ellen asked.

"I don't think so," replied Argus. "It's a very curious case, said Flagg meditatively, "as curious as it is tragic." He picked up a photograph from his desk and stared at it. "I was very fond of Syria. She was one of the best workers in the business—ambitious and on her toes every minute. She had just signed a film contract, you know. I remember the first day she came to me for a job. She was thin and pale, but there was something arresting about her."

"Is that a picture of her?" Argus asked.

"Yes," said Flagg. "May I see it?" Flagg handed it to him. It was the same as the enlarged portrait on the wall. Argus turned it over. On the back was the name "Syria Verne" and her measurements. Argus read them with interest: "Bust 36, waist 25, hips 34, height five feet six inches, weight 125." He nodded his approval and handed it back to Flagg.

"Did you know anything about Syria's background?" Argus asked. "I mean who she was—what she'd done?"
Both Ellen and Flagg looked surprised.

"Why, no," said Flagg. "I thought she was just another youngster from the Middle West."

Argus then told them about the girl whose name had once been Lucy Callahan, night club singer at Dancer Martinelli's.

Flagg's black eyes widened. "I'd never heard that," he said.

"Dancer—" Ellen emphasized—"where did he ever get that name?"

"I think his pals christened him that because he has a curious way of walking on the balls of his feet, as though he were about to go into a waltz," Argus explained. "I heard once that he was shot in the foot and that it's hard for him to walk naturally."

Ellen said: "There must be some tie-up with the man I saw her talking to—the fellow-faced one I told you about—who sounded as if he were threatening her." She paused. "I remember something else, too. He kept tossing a coin, the way gangsters do in the movies."

"It's quite likely that it was one of Martinelli's men," Argus agreed. He drew out a package of cigarettes and offered one to Ellen and to Flagg. The model-agent refused.

"I don't smoke, thanks. I had a touch of gas during the last war."

"Army?" Argus queried.

"Yes. I'd just graduated from Boston Tech when I joined up," Flagg said.

"Was Syria in your office on Monday?" Argus asked.

"Why, yes. She came in Monday morning to pick up a check from one of the studios. She was booked to work for Pierre Sturgis in the afternoon from two to four."

"I worked with her," Ellen said.

"She seemed sort of nervous. She moved in a couple of shots and Pierre had to shoot them over."

GRAB BAG

gain and happiness in the next year. You may court and marry. Business progresses well, especially if concerned with engineering or the military. Elders will be helpful. Born today a child will evince outstanding mechanical skill and go far in life. Happy marriage and good fortune in many ways are portended.

Hints on Etiquette
Courtesy means a kindly, considerate attitude toward every one you meet—no matter what his or her social position, economic standing, race or creed. Train yourself to be courteous, even under the most trying circumstances, and you need no rules on conduct to guide you.

Sunday's Horoscope
The person celebrating a birthday today has an acquisitive fac-

"I'd heard that she hadn't been too steady in her pictures lately," Flagg said. "In fact, I asked her what was troubling her yesterday morning. I thought maybe she was staying up too many nights and needed a rest. You can't work all day and decorate the hot spots all night if you want to last in this business."

"What about this Sturgis fellow?" Argus asked. "Was he in love with her?"

"I believe so," replied Flagg. "Those things get around. She used to go out with him a great deal and there were rumors to the effect that he was jealous of her. He's lame, you know."

"How did Syria feel about Pierre?" Argus asked.

"One of the models told me that Syria broke off with Pierre a month ago," Ellen volunteered. She looked at Flagg. "You probably heard that, Roger."

"I wouldn't know," Flagg shrugged. "I never mix into my models' private lives."

"Meaning you don't mix business with pleasure," Argus said, smiling. "She was with Sturgis last night at the Penguin Club. Ellen and I ran into them."

"Yes," nodded Flagg. "She mentioned that she was going out with him yesterday morning. She seemed upset."

"Upset? In what way?" Argus queried.

"Oh, just uncertain as to whether she should go out with him or not," Flagg replied vaguely.

"Do the police know about Syria's past?" Ellen asked.

"Yes, they do," Argus replied. "It seems that Syria lived in an expensive apartment. How much money would you say she earned a week, Mr. Flagg?"

"I'd say she averaged \$150 a week, sometimes more, sometimes less. We keep a record of how much work each model does and they pay us a ten-per-cent commission. You can go over the files if you'd care to, Mr. Steele."

"How much does Ellen make?" Argus asked.

"Bachelor," Flagg smiled. "Argus raised his eyebrows. "How did you manage to escape in a set-up like this?"

"Perhaps it's a little like the boy who loved candy and then someone gave him a whole candy store to himself. He didn't know where to begin," Flagg stood up. "You'll have to excuse me now," he said. "I have a new applicant to interview. Ellen, why don't you show Mr. Steele around the office? He may want to look through Syria's file. Then come back here. I won some money playing poker last night, so I'd like to take you two to lunch. How about it?"

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Inside WASHINGTON

National Capital Going Party Mad, Says Writer

Lavish Entertainment Is Present Washington Mode

By HELEN ESSARY
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON—"It was of a famous vintage, that of 1948," wrote Fitz-James O'Brien, "a year when war and wine thrived together."

"It was of a famous vintage, that of 1944," I might write, paraphrasing Fitz-James O'Brien, "a year when war and wine and Washington thrived together."

Add to "Washington" the word "parties." Then you have complete the hilarious mood of the capital of the world this year when more men are fighting and dying than ever fought and died together in the history of civilization, whatever civilization is.

In this capital of the world, you and I, typical Washingtonians, have indeed gone mad with party giving. And I am ashamed of all of us as I write this.

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running of a much bigger show, he gave the biggest party that had ever been given in Washington up to that moment.

I remember the tables of food, the bars of drink and the way the hundreds or so guests wandered about saying, "Isn't this the most extravagant performance you've ever seen! But for heaven's sake don't miss those exquisite crab patties! Or the pate de foie gras! Or that bee-utiful champagne! Come on, let's get some of everything before the crowd closes in."

Washington Correspondent Bascom Timmons' reception at the Statler in honor of Gridiron Club President Charles Gridley and National Press Club President Sam O'Neal had the exotic qualities of Governor McNutt's reception, plus a war-time tinge. The very best people were there. And they stayed and laughed and drank and ate and felt that the world belonged to them. I had a grand time.

As I said in the beginning of this column that it is meant to reflect the mood of war-time Washington—all the parties in Washington of this thriving vintage year are terrific. The charming reception the minister of Egypt and Madame Hassan gave recently included every guest invited, plus some who had crashed the hospitable gates. All other capital entertainments are the same this year of the holocaust.

Take me as an example of the Washington mood. I accept invitations and I give them, yet all the while I'm a little ashamed of myself and of all the rest of us who are thus proving we have forgotten the war.

For we HAVE forgotten the war. This war which we entered with lofty talk has become routine business.

We have lost that sense of urgency, of immediate danger. We read the reports of what is happening on lonely beachheads in places that we know nothing about.

News of disaster means little more than thicker printer's ink on white paper.

We hear the radio reports of battles and battle plans, of the loss of hundreds of men. We have a momentary sense of fear. But we also have a momentary sense of fear when we listen in on mystery stories.

Yesterday I did shiver with horror when I heard the Hit in One announcer's voice as he shouted "THE GREATEST war in all time."

The words and the tone had the sound of a Barker in a nine-ring circus.

Our Lost Sense of Urgency

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You're Telling Me!

MAYBE THE red likker shortage has nothing to do with it, but we notice that the favorite for the 1944 Kentucky Derby, to be run in the land where bourbon is (or was) king, is a nag named Pukka Gin.

Zadok Dumkopf thinks, maybe the reason so many candidates are reluctant to toss their hats into the ring now is that this is no time of year to go around bareheaded.

Japanese news agency reports the Germans in "control" of the situation on the Russian front. It will take a bigger lie than that to take the Nips' minds off what happened at Truk

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Daughters of Veterans Hold Annual Tea Party

Lincoln Subject Of Address By R. W. Davis

Daughters of Union Veterans, Tent 101, entertained Friday at its annual patriotic tea, members and guests gathering in the Post room, Memorial hall for the delightful affair. Ray W. Davis was guest speaker, holding the close attention of the audience with his informative address on "Lincoln."

Mr. Davis stressed the fact that Lincoln's humility, kindness and his great soul made him live in the hearts of people throughout the world and marked him as the outstanding American. He read part of an autobiography prepared by Lincoln for a newsmen shortly before his election as president of the United States, and excerpts from letters and some of his famous speeches which he mentioned as the finest examples of English ever written.

Mrs. Dudley Carpenter sang two lovely selections, "Sing a While Longer" by O'Hara, and "Love's Garden of Roses," by Haydn Wood. Miss Anna Schleyer played her piano accompaniments. Mrs. Carroll Morgan played two popular patriotic numbers and, with her mother, Mrs. James Pierce as accompanist, sang "God Bless America" as the closing selection of the program. Mrs. Pierce played several piano numbers during the interval preceding the planned entertainment.

Mrs. Hattie M. Pickett, president of the tent, welcomed the guests in a pleasing talk and the program numbers were presented by Mrs. C. O. Kerna, patriotic instructor of the organization. W. M. Reid, who was to have given the talk on "Washington," was unable to be present.

Tea was served from a table attractively arranged with the thought of the coming Spring season. A bowl of daffodils, snapdragons and pussy willows centered the table that had a tracery of green vines over the lace cloth. Miss Laura Mader presided at the silver tea service and Mrs. Irene Newton served the fine assortment of cookies. Both were in Colonial dress as were several others of the hostesses. Yellow candles were used in the decorations of the hall that had many American flags in standards in the background.

Group singing of "America" and the Pledge of Allegiance featured the formal opening of the patriotic social event. Mrs. E. L. Tolbert, a member of the Circleville tent, was presented to the group as junior vice president of the state department, D. U. V.

Gearhart-Dresbach Wedding

Miss Mary Ann Dresbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carson Dresbach of Kingston, and Ensign Robert Terry Gearhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Z. Gearhart of that community also, were married at a lovely wedding service Thursday at 3:30 p. m. in the Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian church. The Rev. L. V. Bauguess read the double ring ceremony.

Seven-branch candelabra with white cathedral tapers illuminated the altar that was banked with palms, ferns and pedestal baskets of white gladioli and sweet peas. Mrs. Dwight Famulener played a program of piano music during the short interval preceding the service, and the wedding march from Lohengrin as the bridal party entered the church. Glenn Uhl sang "O Promise Me" and "At Dawning" while the service was read.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white starched marquisette with satin tulip applique. Fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, long bell sleeves and fitted bodice, it had a full gathered skirt that ended in a short train. She wore a duchess cap of similar material and her only jewelry was a strand of pearls, the gift of the bridegroom. A cluster of roses and sweet peas was on the cover of the white prayer book carried by the bride.

Ensign Gearhart wore the dress uniform of blue. Miss Jean Dresbach wore a marquisette gown of pink as she served as maid of honor for her sister. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow jonquils and white sweet peas and had matching flowers in her hair. John Gearhart, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man, and Corliss Immell seated the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Dresbach were hosts at a reception at the Fox Farm following the ceremony. Bouquets of carnations and sweet peas and candles, all white, with huckleberry foliage decorated the rooms. At the bride's table the three-tier wedding cake, encircled with a garland of fern and sweet peas, was guarded by crystal candelabra with white tapers. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. A. D. Ellis, Mrs. Robert Brundage, Mrs. G. W. McGinnis, Mrs. J. F. Gardner and Mrs. E. W. Freshour.

Mrs. Dresbach received in a two-piece petit-point suit with matching accessories Mrs. Gearhart.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY
MONDAY CLUB, THE CLUB room, Memorial hall, Monday at 8 p. m.
AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY, Post room, Memorial hall, Monday at 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
EMMETT'S CHAPEL W.S.C.S., home Mrs. John Miller, Pickaway township, Wednesday at 2 p. m.
SCIO TO GRANGE, COMMERCIAL Point school, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
PAST CHIEF'S CLUB, MRS. Marion's party home, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
THURSDAY
DEERCREEK GARDEN CLUB, Williamsport parish house, Thursday at 6:30 p. m.
W. S. C. S., METHODIST church, Thursday at 2 p. m.

hart wore a navy crepe dress with like accessories. Their corsages were of Tallman roses.

Ensign Gearhart and his bride left immediately for Atlanta, Ga., where he is stationed for training. For traveling, Mrs. Gearhart wore an aqua suit with a rose top coat and brown accessories and the nosegay of flowers that had topped her prayer book.

After her graduation from Kingston high school, the former Miss Dresbach attended Ohio Wesleyan university where she became a member of Delta Gamma sorority. The bridegroom, also a graduate of Kingston high school, entered the U. S. Naval Reserve in 1942 and received his commission at Pensacola, Florida.

W. C. T. U.

Miss Mary Harpster of Kingston, president of the Pickaway county W. C. T. U., was a special guest Friday at the meeting of Circleville union at the home of Mrs. J. O. Eagleson, North Pickaway street. Mrs. Harpster discussed the work of the organization after the evening business meeting.

Birthday Party

Mrs. Karl Manson of Logan street entertained Friday at a birthday party from 4 until 6 p. m. in honor of her son, Karl, who was celebrating his sixth anniversary. Games were played during the affair, prizes being won by Joe and Philip Manson.

Lunch was served at a table attractively arranged with suitable party appointments.

Present were Karl, Joe and Philip Manson, Larry Funk, Walter Redmond, Bud and Jay Curry, Richard and Robert Brown, Don Gaines, Harold McClaren, Lewis McClaren, Jr., Pauline Starkey and Barbara Ann Manson.

Saturday Wedding

Circleville friends of Miss Patricia Lou Enderlin of Chillicothe will be interested to hear that she is to be married to Private First Class Richard P. Hill Saturday in the First Presbyterian church of Chillicothe. The open church wedding will be at 3 p. m., the double ring ceremony to be solemnized by the Rev. Harold B. Weir. Vocal music by Miss Lillian Snyder will be accompanied at the organ by W. Andrew McNellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Enderlin, Fairway avenue, will entertain at a reception at the Town House after the marriage.

Missionary Class Meets
 Young People's Missionary class met Friday at the home of Mrs. Stella Styers, 213 Town street, with 10 present for the evening. The Scripture lesson from John 1 was read and discussed by the Rev. Arthur Cupp. Mrs. Styers served light refreshments at the close of the evening.

Fortieth Wedding Anniversary

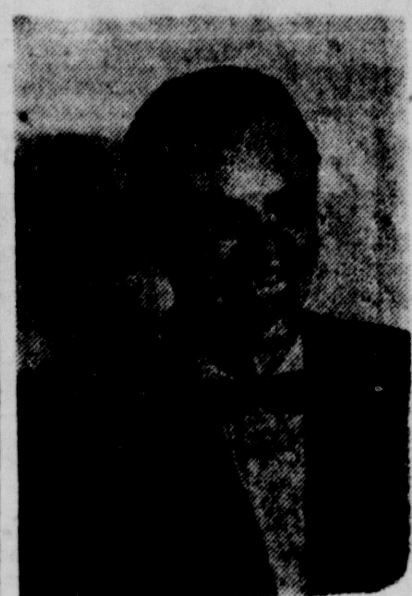
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fetherolf of near Stoutsville observed their fortieth wedding anniversary Friday and were honored at a dinner by Miss Rose Leist, sister of Mrs. Fetherolf. Miss Leist, whose home is in Stoutsville, entertained in addition to the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Warner and Melvin Warner of Circleville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drake, the Rev. Harold Dutt, Miss Ora Kocher and Mrs. Clara Hopper of Stoutsville.

St. Patrick's Day Dance

Going all out in preparations for a gala evening and dance for St. Patrick's Day, the Circleville Junior Chamber of Commerce has engaged Wells Ross of Cincinnati and his orchestra to play for the event that is to be in Memorial hall. The dance is being sponsored by the organization to assist in the Youth Canteen. The group has pledged \$100 for this project or the proceeds of the dance, which ever amounts to the most.

The Wells Ross orchestra made many friends last Summer at the

At J. C. C. Dance



ABOVE is shown Wells Ross, who leads his widely known Cincinnati dance band into the Memorial Hall March 17 to play for the Junior Chamber of Commerce Youth Canteen benefit hop. The dance will follow the St. Patrick's Day theme.

Pier Ball room, Buckeye Lake, and appeared December 4 at the Variety Club Canteen at the Cincinnati auditorium. The orchestra has splendid equipment, including a public address system, and their dance library is arranged to appeal to young and old.

Maxwell Lee is serving as general chairman of the affair and Harry Graef is chairman of the decorating committee that is working out an arrangement appropriate for the holiday event.

Elliott White is in charge of publicity and ticket sales.

Evangelical Class

Young Ladies' class of the Calvary Evangelical church met at the home of Mrs. Walter Brown, West Main street, for the regular February session. Miss Norma Coffland was assisting hostess. Devotions and the business session were in charge of Mrs. Joe Brink, president. The interesting program was arranged by Miss Coffland and Miss Miriam Turner. Nineteen members were present.

Five Points Auxiliary

The Auxiliary of the Five Points Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Charles Hosler for the February session. Twenty-three members and two visitors were present.

After the business hour led by Mrs. Hosler, Mrs. Betty Long and the Rev. S. M. Root had charge of the devotional. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hosler, assisted by Mrs. Nora Bowshier and Mrs. Mary Lady.

Deercreek Garden Club

Deercreek Garden club will have its regular meeting Thursday at 6:30 p. m. in the Williamsport parish house. A covered dish supper will precede the meeting at which Leslie Pontius of West High street will speak on the topic, "Flower Pictures." Mrs. Andrew Schwarz is chairman for the evening.

W. S. C. S.

The Women's Society for Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet in the church parlor Thursday, March 2, at 2 p. m. The program will be in charge of Circle 2, Mrs. Edgar Carmean, chairman.

Scio to Grange

Scio to grange will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in Commercial Point school auditorium.

Personals

Mrs. Carl Anderson of Saltcreek township was a Circleville shopper Friday.

Mrs. William Snyder of Five Points was a Friday visitor in Circleville.

Miss Marie L. Hamilton of West High street is spending the week end in Cincinnati with friends. She will be honored at a luncheon and several informal parties.

Mrs. Harry Brown of Ashville was a Friday visitor of her sister, Mrs. James Stout, of East Franklin street.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas of East Ringgold were Friday business visitors in Circleville.

Mrs. John Dunlap, Jr., of near Williamsport was a Friday shopping visitor in Circleville.

Mrs. Neil Morris of Pickaway township was a Circleville shopper Friday.

Mrs. Lyle Davis and Miss Helen M. Kern of Jackson township were Friday shopping visitors in Circleville.

Mrs. John Huston of near Mt. Sterling was a Circleville business visitor Friday.

Police have used X-rays to search jewel thieves. Diamond swallows among miners employed in South African diamond fields have been detected by the same means.

Ministers Conducting Lent Rites

Series Of Sermons To Be Held During Next Few Weeks

Several Circleville churches are announcing complete plans for Lenten season, listing sermon subjects and other features of their programs.

Following are announcements for some of the congregations:

Trinity Lutheran

Sermon subject by the Rev. G. L. Troutman for the second Sunday in Lent will be "Keeping Our Footing in Perilous Times."

The mid-week Wednesday evening Lenten service will be at 7:30, the subject being "Through the Crucible of Calvary Mary Magdalene Emerges With Confidence." Special Lenten music will be sung by the choir directed by Carl Leist.

Following Lenten service the first in a series of lectures on the doctrines and practices of the Lutheran church will be given in the church auditorium. Members and prospective members are invited.

Following is the complete list of dates and themes for Lenten services under the general theme of "The Crucible of Calvary."

March 1: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Mary Magdalene Emerges With Confidence."

March 8: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Judas Emerges Disastrously."

March 15: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Peter Emerges With Firmness."

March 22: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Joseph of Arimathea Emerges with Courage."

March 29: "Junior choir Lenten cantata."

April 2: Palm Sunday confirmation service.

April 4: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Mary Mother of Jesus Emerges with Devotion."

April 5: Senior choir Lenten cantata.

April 6: Maunday-Thursday Communion service, "Through the Crucible of Calvary the Christian Emerges With Salvation."

April 7: Traditional Good Friday service, 2 p. m.; "Through the Crucible of Calvary Christ Dies an Ignominious Death."

April 7: Good Friday evening service: "Through the Crucible of Calvary The Repentant Sinner Emerges Justified."

April 9: Easter Sunday: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Christ Arose Triumphantly."

All week day Lenten services begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Methodist

The Rev. Clarence Swearingen, pastor of the Methodist church, is announcing a series of five Lenten sermons for the Sunday morning services leading up to Palm Sunday. His general theme will be "What Can Christ Offer Us Now?"

The sermon topics and the order in which they will be given are as follows:

February 27: "Life Under Moral Compulsion."

March 5: "The Victory of High Resolve."

March 12: "The Great Refusal."

March 19: "The Hell of Loneliness."

March 26: "The Most Awful Cross."

Mid-week Lenten services each Wednesday will begin at 6:30 with a covered dish supper. These fellowship suppers will prove helpful and inspiring to the whole family. A short devotional service including a Lenten talk will be given at the table following the supper.

The W. S. C. S. will have charge of table arrangements.

For the first Sunday in Lent the pastor will preach the first of his series of topics on the season.

Music will include a solo by Glen Gelb, "Crossing the Bar," by Tenyson. Miss Carolyn Suter will direct the choir and Hester Chambers will be at the organ.

A nursery is provided for those who wish to leave their babies or small children during the worship services. Mrs. E. L. Montgomery will be in charge.

United Brethren
 Special Lenten midweek services will be held Wednesday night at

Heroic Pastor



ANOTHER heroic pastor in Uncle Sam's uniform is Stephen W. Kane of Osceola, Iowa. He has been awarded the Silver Star for his services in the interest of Uncle Sam's troops.

Church Briefs

The Rev. J. O. Miller of Pilgrim church will preach Sunday morning on "Excerpts from the Sermon on the Mount" and in the evening on "Christ Suffering in the Garden of Gethsemane."

Lutheran meetings next week will include: Tuesday, church council in parish house, 7:30; Wednesday, adult instruction class, 8:30; Thursday, Brotherhood, 7:30; Thursday, Junior choir, 7 p. m.; Friday, senior choir 7:30 p. m.; Friday, teachers' meeting, 6:45; Sunday, junior catechetical class, 9:15.

United Brethren Ladies' Aid will have a Silver tea Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the community house. The children's instruction class will meet Wednesday at 4:15. The Women's Missionary Society will meet Thursday, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Frank Hawkes, East Franklin street.

Towards a goal of 250 new Presbyterian church hymnals, over 150 already been subscribed and promised. The Westminster Bible Class of the Presbyterian church is sponsoring the project.

The Women's Class of the Presbyterian church will meet March 3, Friday, at the home of Mrs. Ida Lerch.

The Reading Circle of the Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon, February 29, 2 o'clock, at the home of Miss Sadie Brunner.

LAURELVILLE

Mrs. Mary Nan Nichols of Columbus was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox.

Mrs. Walter Wagner of Lakewood is spending a few days with her father, Wayne Armstrong.

Mrs. George Fetherolf of Lancaster spent Monday until Thursday with relatives and friends in Laurelville.

Jim Canfield of Columbus was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Plyly Tatman.

Statistics indicate that burglars and street robbers are more active in the Fall than at any other time of the year, the reason being unknown.

7:30. The pastor will use as his subject "Back Again."

Sermon subjects for Sunday were announced by the Rev. J. E. Huston as: morning, "Thirsting for Old Wells" and "Walking With God."

Presbyterian

"Why Lent?" is the subject of Rev. Carl L. Kennedy's sermon for the first Sunday in the Lenten season. Mrs. Clark Will will lead the Presbyterian choir in an arrangement of the beloved hymn, "O Jesus, I Have Promised." At the organ console, beginning at ten-thirty, Miss Abbe Mills Clarke will play the "Agnus Dei" by Bizet and the "Andante" from Tchaikowski's "Fifth Symphony" as her organ meditation. The offertory will be an arrangement of "Deep River" by Rogers, and the Postlude, "Postlude" by Grey.

CHURCH NOTICES

United Brethren
 Rev. J. E. Huston, pastor
 Sunday school, 9:15; Carroll Morgan, superintendent; worship, 10:30; sermon; 7:30 p. m., evangelistic service.

Trinity Lutheran
 Rev. G. L. Troutman, pastor
 Sunday school, 9 a. m.; Ned H. Dresbach, superintendent adult division; Mrs. Galen Mowery, superintendent primary department; worship, 10:15 a. m.; Sunday school and church worship, Christ church, Lick Run, 2 p. m.; evening worship, 7.

Pilgrim Church
 Rev. James O. Miller, pastor
 Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:30; evangelistic service, Thursday 7:30 p. m.

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Church of the Nazarene
 Rev. C. A. Way, pastor
 Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m.; young people's service, 7 a. m.; convoy of prayer, 7:45 a. m.; evening worship, 7:30.

Church of Christ in Christian Union
 Rev. Ross W. Hayslip, pastor
 9:30 a. m., church school; 10:30, worship service; 6:30 p. m., young people's service; 7 p. m., junior church service; 7:30 p. m., evangelistic service; 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, evening prayer service.

Christian Science Society
 216 South Court Street
 11 a. m. Sunday, lesson sermon; 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, testimony meeting. An invitation to attend these meetings and to visit the Reading Room, which is open daily, is extended to all.

Calvary Evangelical
 Rev. B. F. Borcoman, pastor
 Sunday school, 9 a. m.; C. O. Leist, superintendent; worship, 10 a. m.; Young People's service, 6:30; evangelistic service, 7 p. m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Church of the Brethren
 Rev. Harold Myers, pastor
 Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Doyle Cupp, superintendent; worship, 10:30 a. m.; prayer service, 7 p. m.; song service, 7:30; preaching, 8; prayer service Wednesday evening, 7:30.

St. Joseph's Catholic
 Rev. Fr. Edward Rely, Pastor
 Sunday masses: Low at 8 a. m.; high at 10 a. m.; week day at 7:30 a. m.

First Methodist Church
 Clarence Swearingen, pastor
 Church school, 9:15 a. m., W. E. Hilyard, superintendent; 10:30 a. m., worship; 6:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship, Glen McCoy, president.

St. Paul A. M. E.
 Rev. M. H. Johnson, pastor
 Sunday school, 9 a. m.; Rosie May Davis, secretary; Phillip Holmes, superintendent; preaching, 10 a. m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

St. Philip's Episcopal
 Rev. L. C. Sherburne, rector
 9:15 a. m., church school; 10:30 a. m., prayer and sermon; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

First Presbyterian Church
 Rev. Carl Kennedy, pastor
 9:30 a. m., Sunday school, Thomas Armstrong, superintendent; 10:30 a. m., worship.

Second Baptist Church
 Rev. Harold Wingo, pastor
 9:30 a. m., church school; Robert Jones, superintendent; Joan Byrd, secretary; Leota Sidney, clerk; 10:45 a. m., worship; 3 p. m., worship; 6:30 p. m., B. Y. P. U.

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CONFERENCE SCHEDULED HERE MARCH 7 IS VITAL

Church people here will have an opportunity to make their contribution to a rising country-wide demand for world organization to prevent future wars, in an interdenominational "World Government" conference to be held March 7 at the United Brethren church.

The Rev. Clarence Swearingen, who is directing arrangements for the county-wide meeting in behalf of the Ohio Council of Churches, stressed that point in urging large attendance from local churches of all denominations.

He pointed out that the meeting here is one in a state-wide series, in close harmony with similar programs being fostered by official agencies of several denominations and with action taken recently at the interdenominational Ohio Pastors' Convention in Columbus.

The aim, he said, is to enlist church people everywhere in an insistent demand that this World War be followed by the establishment of a system of world government strong enough to prevent a recurrence of war.

A group of Ohio ministers who are giving their time to this effort will come here to speak and lead discussions at the conference.

CHURCH HISTORY NIGHT ON LUTHERAN PROGRAM

Trinity Lutheran Brotherhood is planning Church History Night next Thursday at 7:30, with the program to be divided into several features.

The history of the Lenten services in the local church will be discussed by the Rev. C. L. Troutman. Dudley Carpenter will talk on the history of Lutheranism in the community, and John C. Goeller will speak on financial generosity during Lent.

Clarence Helvering will head the lunch committee.

REV. THURSTON WILL TALK AT ST. PHILIP'S

The Rev. Norman Thurston of St. John's Episcopal church, Lancaster, will preach the sermon Sunday evening at St. Philip's Episcopal church.

The regular Sunday school and morning prayer and worship service will be held under direction of the Rev. L. C. Sherburne, church rector.

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EX-COAL MINER APPEARS TOUGH IN GARDEN TILT

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McCLAIN WINNER IN S. C. O. LEAGUE

Greenfield Gains Edge Of Seven Points Over Wilmington Team

Greenfield McClain won the South Central Ohio league championship Friday night by turning back Wilmington 45 to 38. McClain finished the league season with only one reversal, that at the hands of Wilmington on the Hurricane's court two weeks ago.

Wilmington and Circleville tied for second position, each with three losses. Wilmington lost to the Red and Black, to Hillsboro and to McClain, while the Tigers dropped two decisions to Greenfield and one to Wilmington, the latter the disputed 50-48 game which reverted back to the first overtime period under state athletic board decree, thus going to Wilmington. An argument over the number of points needed to win an overtime game was decided in Wilmington's favor.

Washington C. H., beaten twice by Circleville, finished in fourth place, and the fifth position went to Hillsboro, its only victory in eight league games being over Wilmington in the biggest upset of the season.

Final standing follows:
Team W L Pct.
Greenfield 7 1 .875
Circleville 5 3 .625
Wilmington 5 3 .625
Washington C. H. 2 6 .250
Hillsboro 1 7 .125

BUCKEYES LOSE OVERTIME TILT BY 61-49 TOTAL

By International News Service
Northwestern's chances for a share of the Western Conference basketball championship were ended today as the result of a 50 to 47 trimming handed them in the Chicago stadium last night by the Illinois quintet.

It was the third defeat in nine conference games for the Northwestern Wildcats, two of which were suffered after the loss of their star captain and forward, Otto Graham, to the navy.

In the only other conference game of the evening, the Wisconsin Badgers won their eighth league victory by turning back the Minnesota Gophers 50 to 33 in a game at Madison.

Other Big Ten teams were idle with the exception of Ohio State's Buckeyes who lost an overtime game to the De Paul team of Chicago 61 to 49.

Northwestern had a mathematical chance to share the basketball title with Ohio State, but it depended on its winning its remaining four games. Last night's engagement saw the lead change six times, with the Purple holding a five point advantage at one time during the second half.

Wisconsin had little trouble beating the visiting Gophers. Center Ray Patterson scoring nine goals and four free throws of his teams 50 points. The victory put Wisconsin in fourth place in the standings with eight wins and three defeats.

Ohio State, with ten wins and two defeats, has completed its conference schedule. Purdue and Iowa with eight victories and two losses have a chance to tie the Bucks for the championship.

Ohio State was a slight favorite to beat its non-conference opponent in Chicago stadium last night but lost because De Paul's towering center, George Mikan, was less handicapped with an injured right ankle than expected.

Mikan scored 15 points during the regulation game time, which ended 47 to 47, then added three more goals and two free throws for a game total of 23 points.

By their victory the De Paul Blue Demons probably earned a bid to the NCAA tournament in New York next month. Their record to date is 18 wins against only three losses.

CAGE STANDINGS

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Team W L Pct.
Ohio State 10 2 .833
Purdue 8 2 .800
Iowa 8 2 .800
Wisconsin 8 2 .800
Northwestern 5 7 .417
Illinois 5 7 .417
Minnesota 3 7 .300
Indiana 1 8 .111
Chicago 0 6 .000

EAST NIGHTS RESULTS
Illinois, 59; Northwestern, 47.
Wisconsin, 50; Minnesota, 33.
Purdue, 51; Ohio State, 49 (overtime).

REMAINING CONTESTS TONIGHT
Northwestern at Purdue.
Chicago at Minnesota.
X-Bunker Hill at Indiana.
X-Iowa at Notre Dame.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3
Northwestern at Iowa.
Minnesota at Illinois.
Indiana at Northwestern.
Purdue at Indiana.
Wisconsin at Chicago.
Minnesota at Illinois.

X Denotes non-conference contest.

MAKE NEWS IN YANK CAMP



Earl Combs

Jack Saltzger

FOR THE FIRST TIME in 20 years, Earl Combs, silver-haired coach of the New York Yanks, will be away from Yankee stadium. Combs, one of the great outfielders of the game before he turned to coaching, has been granted a year's leave of absence to devote full time to his farms near Richmond, Ky. Combs came to the Yanks in 1924 from Louisville. He played for 11 years in the Yank outfield, hitting for a lifetime average of .325. Johnny Neun, manager of the Yanks Kansas City team, will replace Combs as coach. Jack Saltzger, former Yank infielder, will be the new pilot of the Kansas City team. He has been playing for that club since 1938.

Ashville, Atlanta Meet Tonight In Finals Of County Court Tourney

The dream game which Pickaway county basketball fans have been awaiting all season will be played starting at 9 o'clock Saturday night in the Jackson township gymnasium.

It will pit Ashville's Bronks against Atlanta's Raiders, and when the smoke of battle lifts over the hardwood court, the several hundreds who are able to crowd into the auditorium will know they have seen some action.

Both teams made their way into the finals by winning Friday's semifinals. Ashville took Pickaway 46-28 after leading by only three points as the final period started. The Pickaway boys just gave out, the Bronks pulling away in the last period as they have against every opponent this year. Perry won from Walnut 43-23, leading all the way.

The Atlanta boys were "on", and Walnut was "off". The lads from Walnut were not able to hit the hoop from action until 12 minutes after play started.

The first period saw Atlanta with a 9-1 lead and at the half the advantage was 17-7. Perry moved ahead 31-11 at the three quarter pole.

Bill Hobbie with 17 points, Orinhood with 11 and Red Hobbie with 10 paced the winners.

Pontius came up with nine points for Walnut, while Heath and Bell each hit for six.

Pickaway came close to upsetting the Ashville boys, but just couldn't stand the terrific pace set up by the Bronks. Illness cut down efficiency of several Pirates while personal fouls took a heavy toll on the smooth-playing lads from Harrison township.

Ashville was ahead 9-7 at the quarter, but was deadlocked 19-19 at the half. In the third period Ashville moved ahead 30 to 27, with Pickaway beginning to weaken. The last quarter turned into a rout with Ashville getting 18 points against two.

Ashville lost Eckard, Messick, Wilson and Pettibone by the personal foul rule, while McGinnis was waved out for Pickaway.

Most of Ashville's scoring was done by Gregg with 12 and Hennis with 10, Messick coming up with eight.

McAfee's 10 paced the Pirates. Ashville takes a brilliant record into the finals tonight, 19 games without a loss, while Atlanta has only one blemish against it, the sudden death defeat at Pickaway.

As in each of the first two sessions, ticket sales were stopped Friday night when the crowd became overfull again.

Perry-43
Orinhood, 4; Heath, 3; Bell, 3; Hobbie, 7; N. Bell, 3; Messick, 2; Bunker, 2; George, 2; Pontius, 3; Stinson, 0; J. Bell, 0; Hamman, 0; Noecker, 0; Hoover, 1.

Walnut-23
Orinhood, 4; Heath, 3; Bell, 3; Hobbie, 7; N. Bell, 3; Messick, 2; Bunker, 2; George, 2; Pontius, 3; Stinson, 0; J. Bell, 0; Hamman, 0; Noecker, 0; Hoover, 1.

Ashville-46
Eckard, 1; Rhoades, 1; Messick, 2; Bunker, 2; George, 2; Pontius, 3; Stinson, 0; J. Bell, 0; Hamman, 0; Noecker, 0; Hoover, 1.

Pickaway-20
Eckard, 1; Rhoades, 1; Messick, 2; Bunker, 2; George, 2; Pontius, 3; Stinson, 0; J. Bell, 0; Hamman, 0; Noecker, 0; Hoover, 1.

SEEING THINGS
BELGRADE, Neb. — When a drain-pipe backed up, Mrs. Adelia Ward called a plumber. He thought he was seeing things when he extracted 60 hibernating snakes from the pipe.

TIGER QUINTET WHIPS LONDON BY 67-37 SCORE

Leon Sims Connects For 33 Points In Finale Of Regular Season

Circleville Tigers closed their pre-tourney cage season Friday evening by running up a 67 to 37 victory over London. The game was played in the C. A. C. gym. The Red and Black won from London earlier in the season, but not nearly so easily as in Friday's tilt.

Leon Sims piled up 33 points against the hard-fighting Madison county lads.

The game was exceedingly rough. Pairings for Central district class A tournament competition were being made Saturday in Delaware, the Tigers hoping for a fair break which might put them with an opponent against whom they might have a chance. Newark is the team most feared in the central district.

The Tigers grabbed a 14-8 lead at the quarter and went ahead 32-19 at halftime. At the end of the third period the score was 46 to 27.

Red and Black reserves knocked out a preliminary 25 to 24, weathering a late London rush which almost knotted the count.

CIRCLEVILLE-67
Sims, f 14 5 1 1 33
Heath, f 4 0 0 2 8
Skinner, f 6 0 0 0 0
Dade, c 2 1 5 3 5
Coleman, f 0 0 1 0 0
Anderson, f 5 3 1 1 10
Mader, g-f 3 1 2 1 7
Lewenshimer, g 0 1 0 3 1
Valentine, g 0 1 1 0 0
McGinnis, g 0 0 0 0 0
Shaw, g 0 0 0 0 0

LONDON-37
Foulk, f 2 0 1 1 4
Phillips, f 2 2 1 2 6
Adams, c 2 2 1 2 6
Markley, c 4 3 1 3 11
Cornwell, f 1 1 1 2 3
Coleman, f 0 0 1 0 0
Schumaker, f 0 0 2 2 0
Davidson, f 2 0 2 1 4
Hunter, c 0 0 1 0 0
Mercer, c 0 0 0 1 0
Hackett, g 2 1 3 1 5
Lanningan, g 0 0 0 0 0

Score by quarters:
Circleville 14 22 46 67
London 8 19 27 37

CHS Res.-25
Shaw, f 2 0 1 1 4
McGinnis, f 1 2 0 0 2
Morgan, c 0 0 1 0 0
Strawser, c 0 0 1 0 0
Valentine, g 2 0 1 0 0
Skinner, g 3 0 0 0 0
Hunter, g 0 0 0 0 0
Coleman, g 0 0 0 0 0
Dyer, g 0 0 0 0 0
Kelly, g 0 0 0 0 0

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GIL DODDS' BID FOR RECORD TO BE RUN TONIGHT

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 — If Gil Dodds, the Boston semimarian, is ever going to break the indoor mile record of 4:07.4, he will most probably do it tonight at the 56th annual AAU track and field championships at Madison Square Garden.

For a month, the bespectacled divinity student has been plodding grimly toward the mile record, coming closer each week. In the season-opening Wanamaker mile Gil chalked up 4:10.6, following it up with a great 4:09.5 Hunter mile for the fastest seen in Boston and reeled off 4:08 last week in the Baxter.

Tonight, Dodds will receive his strongest bid, not from Bill Hulise, of the New York A. C., or Hume twins, Ross and Bob, or Don Burnham, of Dartmouth, but from the travelling hordes of the stop watch.

Hulise, acknowledged as Gil's closest competitor, is still recovering from a throat ailment; the Humes cannot approach Dodds' time and Burnham has afforded no competition at all this season.

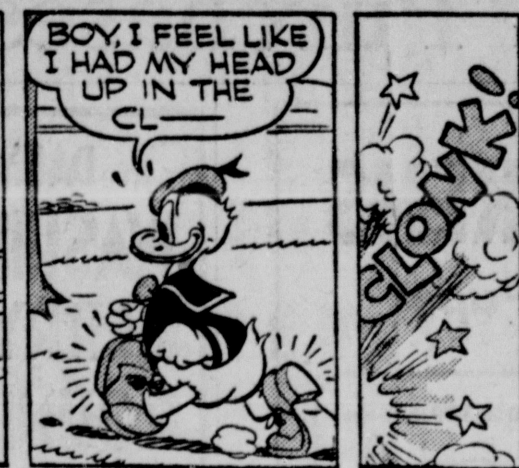
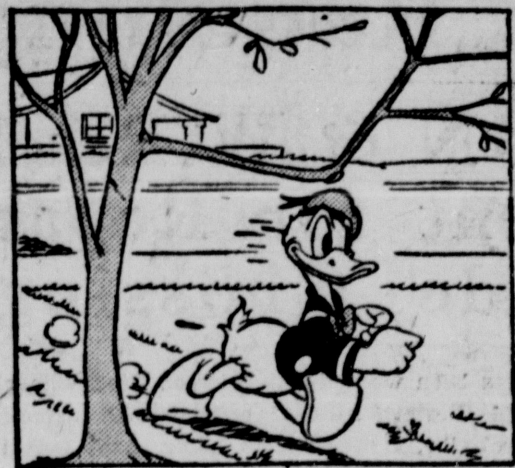
They say Johnny Fulton, the versatile star running under the colors of the San Francisco Olympic club, has bitten off more than he can chew in entering the AAU 1,000-yard run, and it might be Fulton faces Joe Nowicki, of Rochester, who whipped Johnny last week in the Halpin 880 after cutting off Fulton on the stretch turn; Jim (Iron Mike) Rafferty of the New York A. C., defending titlist and Jimmy Herbert, former national 600-yard champ, among others. The 1,000-yard contest promises to be the most thrilling in the meet.

Another tight duel is expected to develop among the 600-yard run's star-studded field. Bob Ufer, University of Michigan; Jimmy Herbert; Herp McKenley, junior junior 400-meter champ and Arky Erwin, national 400-meter hurdles king are indicated as ready to fight it out for the 600-yard title.

Quick Service for Dead Stock

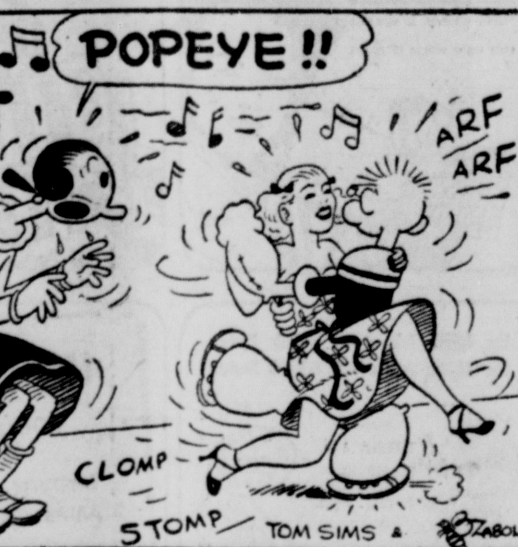
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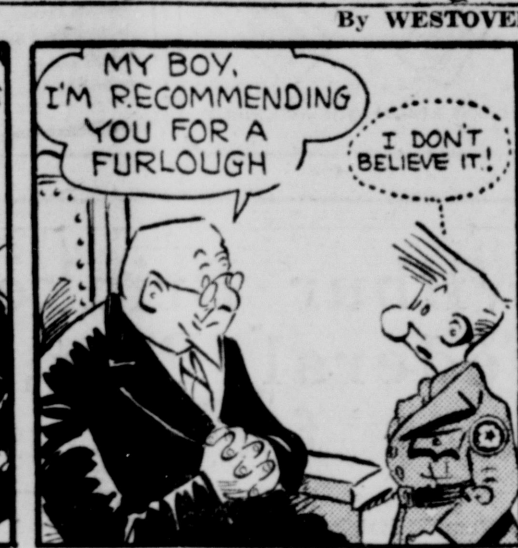


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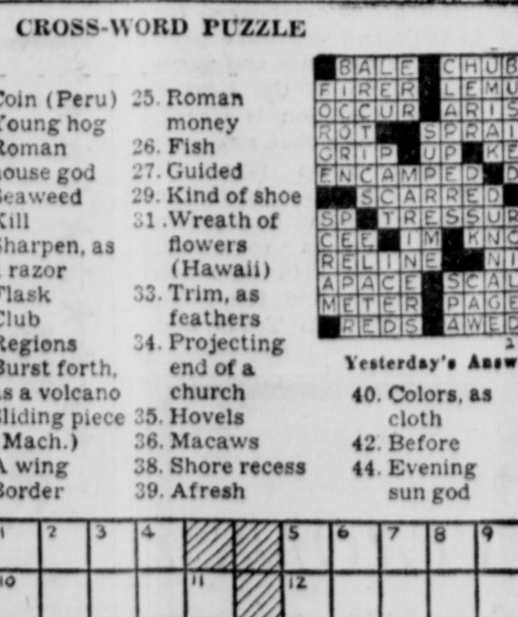
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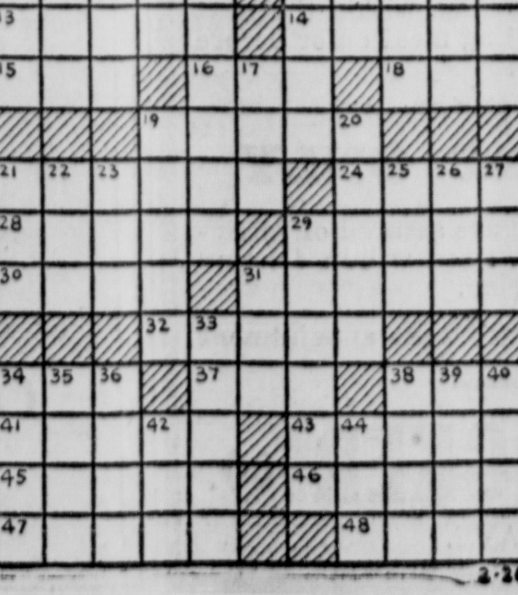
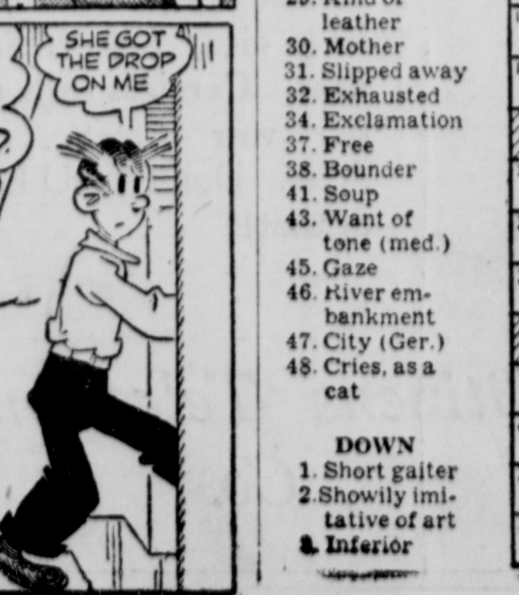
By PAUL ROBINSON



By WALLY BISHOP



By CHIC YOUNG



CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- Weakens
- Cut
- Print of negative (Print)
- Incense dogs to the chase (var.)
- Coral reef
- Musical instrument
- Norse god
- Sleeveless garment
- Affirmative vote
- Size of type
- Vegetable
- Bird
- Foreign
- Kind of leather
- Mother
- Slipped away
- Exhausted
- Exclamation
- Free
- Boulder
- Soup
- Want of tone (med.)
- Gaze
- Hiver embankment
- City (Ger.)
- Cries, as a cat

DOWN

- Short gaiter
- Showily imitative of art
- Interior
- Coin (Peru)
- Young hog
- Roman house god
- Kind of shoe
- Kill
- Sharpen, as a razor
- Flask
- Club
- Regions
- Burst forth, as a volcano
- Sliding piece
- Shore recess
- A wing
- Border
- Money
- Fish
- Kind of shoe
- Wreath of flowers (Hawaii)
- Trim, as feathers
- Projecting end of a church
- Hovels
- Macaws
- Shore recess
- Refresh
- Colors, as cloth
- Before
- Evening sun god

Yesterday's Answer

1. CHURCH
2. RIVER
3. LEMON
4. OCCUR
5. ARISE
6. ROT
7. SPRAIN
8. CRIP
9. UP
10. KID
11. ENCAPSULATED
12. PRESSURE
13. RAIN
14. KNOB
15. RELINE
16. NITR
17. APACHE
18. SCALE
19. METEOR
20. DAGWOOD
21. BIRD
22. AINER

ROOM AND BOARD



By GENE AHERN

On The Air

- SATURDAY**
- Evening**
- 6:00 Don Ameche, WING.
6:30 Thanks to the Yanks, WBNS.
7:00 Groucho Marx, WBNS.
7:30 Roy Porter, WING.
7:45 Inner Sanctum Mystery, WBNS.
8:00 Truth or Consequences, WLW.
8:30 National Barn Dance, WLW.
8:45 Can You Top This?, WLW.
9:00 Barry Wood, WLW.
9:30 John W. Vandercook, WING.
9:45 Grand Ol Opry, WTAM.
10:30 Mr. Smith Goes to Town, WWJ.
- SUNDAY**
- Morning**
- 8:00 News of the World, WLW.
9:00 Detroit Bible Class, WHKC.
9:30 Wings over Jordan, WBNS.
10:00 Southernaires, WLW.
10:30 Soldiers of Production, WCOL.
10:45 Rev. D. S. Mills, WHKC.
11:00 Weekly War Journal, WCOL.
11:30 Salt Lake City Tabernacle, WJR.
11:45 Transatlantic Call, WBNS.
- Afternoon**
- 12:00 Cadie Tabernacle, WLW.
12:30 Edward R. Murrow, WHIO.
1:00 University of Chicago Roundtable, WWSM.
1:30 America-Calling Unlimited, WBNS.
2:00 Those We Love, WWSM.
2:30 Washington Reports on Rationing, WLW.
3:00 This is Fort Dix, WHKC.
3:30 Army Hour, WLW.
4:00 Hot Copy, WCOL.
4:30 Al Pearce's Gang, WCOL.
5:00 Andre Kostelanetz, WBNS.
5:30 Gladys Swarthout, WBNS.
6:00 John Kandercock, WING.
6:30 The Shadow, WHKC.
7:00 Musical Steelmakers, WCOL.
7:30 Silver Theatre, WBNS.
8:00 Murder Club, WHKC.
8:30 Jim Ameche, WCOL.
- Night**
- 9:00 Jerry Lester, Ray Sinatra, WJR.
9:30 Benny, WLW.
10:00 Quiz Kids, WING.
10:30 Alex Dreier, WLW.
11:00 We, the People, WBNS.
11:30 Stars and Stripes, WHKC.
12:00 Edgar Bergen, WLW.
12:30 Bob Porter, WING.
1:00 Roy Caswell, WBNS.
1:30 Crime Doctor, WBNS.
2:00 One Man Family, WLW.
2:30 Dorothy Kirtley, WING.
3:00 Walter Winchell, WLW.
3:30 Conrad Thibault, WTAM.
4:00 James Melton, WBNS.
4:30 Frank Munn, WTAM.
5:00 Hour of Charm, WLW.
5:30 Good Will Hunt, WBNS.
6:00 Bob Crosby, WLW.
6:30 Thin Man, WBNS.
7:00 New Programs, WBNS-WLW.
- MONDAY**
- Morning**
- 8:00 Don McNeill, Breakfast Club, WING.
9:00 Stan Dixon, News, WHKC.
10:00 Vincent Lopez, WHKC.
11:00 Cedric Belfrage, WHKC.
12:00 Morton Downey, WCOL.
1:00 Fletcher Wiley, Phil Regan, WBNS.
2:00 Perry Como, WADQ.
3:00 Lorenzo Jones, WLW.
4:00 Quincy Howe, News, CBS.
- Evening**
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr., WHKC.
6:30 Fred Waring, WLW.
7:00 John Vandercook, WTAM.
7:30 Arthur Lake, WJR.
8:00 Vox Pop, WLW.
8:30 Cavalcade of America, WLW.
9:00 Gay Nineties, WBNS.
9:30 Don Voth, WLW.
10:00 Radio Theatre, WBNS.
10:30 Gabriel Heatter, WHKC.
11:00 I. Q., WLW.
11:30 Spotlight Bands, WING.
12:00 Return of Nick Carter, WHKC.
12:30 Josephine Antonio, WLW.
1:00 Raymond Gram Swing, WING.
1:30 Guy Lombardo, WPAR-1450.
2:00 Information, Please, WLW.
2:30 News Reports, WLW-WBNS.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



ROPE-TIRED AUTOCAR - 1899

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay

"The Authority on Authorities"

WHICH IS MORE LIKELY?

BETWEEN TWO propositions, which do you consider the more likely? One is that a not-vulnerable player had a suit of more than six cards in length when he made an overall at the level of one. The other is that the six outstanding cards of a suit will be evenly divided, with three in the hand of each opponent. We all know the odds are heavily against such a split of a suit. And calm reflection in his memory should tell any declarer that most overcalls, especially when not vulnerable, are on suits of six cards or less rather than seven cards or more.

When West led the club 4, the declarer reckoned he might as well take a chance that West, a freakish leader, was underleading the ace against a slam—first unlikely fear—and used the K, which he killed. South ruffed the club 7 return, saw that he had to reach the dummy for trump finesse, so led the heart Q and overtook the K. The spade Q finesse now worked, so he led the heart 5 to the A to finesse the spade J. The spade A then dropped the K. The diamond 2 was ruffed by the spade 7 and the heart J led, a diamond being tossed. If it had dropped the remaining two hearts, then the 9 and 3 would have furnished diamonds of the last two diamonds, but it didn't drop them. So now he had to lose two diamonds and was down two.

Success of that play depended on the heart split. The contract could have been made by ruffing a diamond on the third trick for a spade finesse, ruffing a second one for a second finesse, dropping the last trump and playing the hearts naturally without overtaking the Q. But he said that risked an over-ruff of the second diamond lead, since West bid them. This could have been possible only if West had seven diamonds.

Your Week-End Lesson

Can you think of any situation in which a declarer should deliberately lead to a defender a suit in which it is virtually certain the latter can take three successive tricks? How about setting up an example of it?

9:45 a. m. The story will be told in 20 Monday-through-Friday installments. As the second week of the story opens, Lina McLaidlaw (Margo) realizes that she has fallen in love with John Aysgarth (Tom Collins), but feels an instinctive fear, which is heightened when he leads her to a lonely hill-top and tells her "You know, I might have brought you here to kill you."

TAMIROFF, KELLY

The film character actor Akim Tamiroff and the Comedienne Patsy Kelly, who came in as a guest star several weeks ago and hasn't left yet, will be heard on the "Stage Door Canteen" on Friday, March 3, at 9:30 p. m., over WBNS. With them will be Bert Lytell, master of ceremonies, and Raymond Paige's "Canteen" orchestra.

Dinah Shore, top girl singer of the airlines, this week was notified that her biography will be included in the forthcoming issue of "Who's Who in the Western Hemisphere."

GEORGIA GIBBS

It's a daily double on the gee-gees this week for "The Million Dollar Band" when Barry Wood presents Georgia Gibbs and George Auld over NBC Saturday at 9 p. m. Barry is definitely pitching a double header with Georgia and Georgia that will turn into a solid hit game with no errors.

Drive and imagination are the solid qualities which distinguish Georgia Auld as a band leader, and his tenor sax solos are hailed by critics and dance enthusiasts for their tremendous power and masterful technique. And Georgia Gibbs—termed the "bluetiful" singer—has had audiences at the Strand Theatre in New York standing up in the aisles and

ALAN LADD

Alan Ladd returns for another appearance on "Suspense," starring in "The Defense Rests," dramatic story of an ex-convict accused of murder, on Thursday at 7 p. m., over WBNS. Ladd is heard as the defendant, who is befriended and defended by a lawyer. The trial leads to an unexpected climax.

"SUSPICION"

Romance and a gnawing fear develop, as Margo and Tom Collins go into the second week of Alfred Hitchcock's "Suspicion," on "Star Playhouse," over NBC at

Tokens Expected To Simplify Purchases Under Rationing.

SHOPPING TIME MAY BE REDUCED BY 50 PERCENT

Local Merchants Hoping OPA Promises Of Convenience Prove Correct

PROGRAM STARTS MONDAY

New Issue To Be Given Out Only As "Change" For Point Coupons

The Office of Price Administration's new token system for food rationing will become operative Monday in Circleville and Pickaway county, the federal agency declaring that the rationing program will be greatly simplified, and local merchants hoping the declaration proves correct.

OPA claims that the change to the one-point token system means: Less stamps to handle and greater ease in counting up points when shopping. Demonstrations indicate that the use of ration tokens reduces shopping time by 50 percent.

Distribution of 130 million ration books will not have to be made as often since War Ration Book 4 will last approximately four times as long as in the past.

A saving of thousands of hours of work by volunteer workers.

A saving of tons of paper by less printing of ration books and forms.

OPA said Saturday that the new system will save the shopper considerable time in adding up the point value of her stamps since each red and blue stamp in Book 4 will be worth 10 points instead of 1, 2, 5 or 8, and she will receive tokens only in change. For example: If she buys a roast of beef that requires 43 points she will give the merchant five red stamps, making a total of 50 points. He will give her seven red tokens in change. If she should later need to buy a quarter pound of butter, which would require four points she could pay the merchant four tokens out of the previous purchase instead of giving him another stamp.

The validity of all red and blue stamps will be increased by approximately 12 weeks.

These longer validity periods will give the housewife a longer period over which to budget her points and should, therefore, help to discourage last minute rushes heretofore occasioned by shorter periods between expiration dates.

Tokens will be of value indefinitely.

Circleville banks where ration tokens have been available to merchants for the last several weeks report that practically all merchants have obtained their supplies and are now ready to start issuing them.

While Sunday is the first legal day for use of tokens, use will become general Monday since that will be the first shopping day for local housewives.

Following are some questions and answers about the token program:

Q. When will tokens be put into use?

A. February 27, 1944.

Q. Will only blue and red stamps in War Ration Book 4 be used in connection with the tokens?

A. After March 21, yes. Between February 27 and March 21, blue tokens may be given in change for either blue or green stamps; red tokens for red or brown stamps.

Q. Will the Red and Blue stamps be of the same value regardless of the numbers printed on them?

A. Yes, 10 points each.

Q. How many tokens will I receive "in change"?

A. Never over nine red or blue tokens and in most instances five of each will cover all needs.

Q. Will I be able to exchange a stamp for tokens?

A. No, tokens will be given only as change when making a purchase.

Q. How long will the red and blue stamps be good in Book Four?

A. The validity period of all red and blue stamps will be approximately 12 weeks.

Q. Will stamps be torn out as before (up or down) or across the book?

A. They will be used across the book—A's, B's, C's, D's, E's and so on.

Q. When will the brown stamps in War Ration Book Three and the green stamps in Book Four expire?

A. The Green stamps K, L and M.

THE FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666 666 TANKS, SAME, MORE DRUGS

HOW TO SHOP WITH RATION TOKENS

New System Saves Time, Trouble, Manpower and Paper

ALL RED and BLUE stamps in War Ration Book 4 are

WORTH 10 POINTS EACH

FIVE BLUE stamps become valid beginning Feb. 27: 8A, 8B, 8C, 8D and 8E

Each stamp worth 10 points

THREE RED stamps become valid beginning Feb. 27: 8A, 8B and 8C

New stamps become valid every 2 weeks

Each stamp worth 10 points

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RED and BLUE TOKENS are WORTH 1 POINT EACH

RED and BLUE TOKENS are used to make CHANGE for RED and BLUE stamps only when purchase is made

Use RED Tokens with RED Stamps and BLUE Tokens with BLUE Stamps

EXAMPLE: TOKEN, 1 pt. STAMP, 10 pts. TOTAL, 11 pts.

TOKENS REMAIN VALID INDEFINITELY

IMPORTANT! POINT VALUES of BROWN and GREEN STAMPS are NOT changed

BROWN STAMPS, Y and Z in Book No. 3 Good till Mar. 30, 1944

GREEN STAMPS, K, L and M in Book No. 4 Good till Mar. 30, 1944

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

As a jewel of gold in a swine's snout, so is a fair woman without discretion. — Proverbs 11:22.

Frank Fischer, superintendent of Circleville schools, has gone to Chicago to attend the meeting of the National Education association. The Morrison Hotel will be his headquarters. He will spend next week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Buskirk of Mingo street are parents of a son born Friday in Doctor's hospital, Columbus.

Mrs. Roger Downing, the former Janet Funk, who submitted to an operation in a Columbus hospital a week ago, is being removed Saturday to Berger hospital.

There will be a 50-50 dance, Saturday night from 9 to 12 at the Eagles Home. It is open to the public.

Mrs. Marie A. Goodman, hurt last week when she was hit by an automobile, is still in Berger hospital although she is showing marked improvement. Mrs. Goodman did not suffer any fractures, but has a badly bruised shoulder. She may be able to leave the hospital soon.

Loring Wittich, West Main street, who suffered a broken knee cap in an auto wreck several weeks ago, is able to make his way around town with the aid of crutches.

ADDITIONAL RAINFALL BENEFICIAL TO COUNTY

Another splendid rain was poured on soil of Circleville and Pickaway county Friday and Friday night, weather observers reporting .57 of an inch during the steady downpour.

The rain boosted the week's precipitation to more than two inches, one and one-half inches falling earlier in the week.

The rains were the first soaking downpours to be recorded in Pickaway county in several months, and their value cannot be measured in dollars and cents by farmers who have been fearful that winter wheat and pastures would be lost if the drought continued.

SCHOLARSHIP EXAMS TO BE HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL

Scholarship examinations for Circleville and Pickaway county high school seniors will be conducted in Circleville high school building Saturday, March 11. It had been planned to hold the competition the following week, but the state department of education have moved up the test. Many high school senior students usually take the examination.

M and Brown stamps Y and Z will remain valid through March 20, 1944.

DEAD STOCK REMOVED

Prompt and Clean Service HOGS, SHEEP, CALVES and COLTS REMOVED

Quick Service CALL Clean Trucks

Reverse Charges—Pickaway Fertilizer

A. Jones & Sons, Circleville, O.

REPUBLICANS OF COUNTY INDORSE OFFICE SEEKERS

Republican executive committee Friday night indorsed Orin Dreisbach of Circleville township for another term on the Pickaway county board of elections, and also voted an indorsement for Claude Kraft of Ashville as the new clerk of the board.

Mr. Dreisbach is serving at present as chairman of the board. If Mr. Kraft is chosen as clerk, this will be a foregone conclusion, Mr. Dreisbach will step out as chairman to make way for a Democrat, although retaining his board post.

The Republican meeting was held in common pleas courtroom, with Chairman Tom Renick reporting good attendance.

Several other candidates were applicants for board member and clerk.

Indorsement of Mr. Dreisbach will be sent to the secretary of state for approval, while the name of Mr. Kraft will be certified to the election board. It will take action at a meeting early in March.

Usually, Democrats on the board vote for a Democratic clerk, while Republicans support their party's choice. In case of a tie both names are sent to the secretary of state, the new clerk always being the person whose politics is similar to that of the state official.

Russell Imier, a Democrat, is the present clerk, his term expiring March 1.

Other indorsements voted by the Republican committee include: Dr. Walter D. Brehm, Logan, for second term in congress; Evert Addison and Roscoe Walcutt, Columbus, for second terms in the Ohio senate, and H. E. Louis, New Holland, for second term as representative in the Ohio assembly.

Mr. Renick said Saturday that the committee will be recalled to consider a slate of delegates and alternates to be chosen for the state Republican convention to be held in the next few months.

WOODROW ECCARD SENDS PURPLE MEDAL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Eccard of Walnut township have received from their son, Private First Class Woodrow Eccard, the Purple Heart medal recently awarded him. PFC Eccard is in a hospital in North Africa convalescing from wounds suffered in action in Italy three months ago.

A member of Co. G, 36th division, U. S. infantry, PFC Eccard has been overseas since last March. February 24, 1944, marked the end of his second year in service.

Wilbur Brinker Quits Federal Post, Enters Race for Court Clerk

Wilbur E. Brinker, Walnut township, a Pickaway county farmer and an official of the Pickaway county Agriculture Conservation association for the last 10 years, seven of which have been served as vice-chairman, today announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for clerk of courts.

Mr. Brinker, who has obtained his petition from the election board, said that he has resigned his federal post effective immediately, conforming with regulations which prevent political activity on the part of employees. No successor has been appointed as yet.

The filing into politics is Mr. Brinker's first, the post he is seeking being held at present by A. L. Wilder, a Democrat, who is planning to run for reelection.

Mr. Brinker served for three years in the Pickaway A. A. office before becoming vice-chairman under Chairman John Boggs. During his successful work there he has become acquainted in every part of Pickaway county.

The candidate is a veteran of World War I, being in officer training in the U. S. navy at the time of the Armistice. He is a member of Howard Hall post, American Legion, and is a lieutenant in the auxiliary highway patrol. Mr. Brinker is also a seventh degree Granger, being a member of Nebraska Grange for many years.

MARTHA WHITE CALLED FOR WAVE TRAINING

Miss Martha White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. White of Derby, has enlisted in the WAVES, the women's reserve of the navy, and has been ordered to leave next Wednesday for Hunter college, New York, to start training.

Miss White is believed to be the first girl from the Derby community to go into the WAVES.

The recruit's mailing address will be: N. T. S., (W. R.) Bronx, New York City 63, N. Y.

NO PACK PRICE CHANGE

Maximum prices established for the 1943 fruit and vegetable pack will also apply to fruits and vegetables packed up to the time a 1944 pricing regulation is issued. OPA said Saturday that any confusion concerning the prices is ended by the executive order. The ruling sets explicit ceiling prices and pricing formulas for such vegetables of the 1944 crop as snap beans, beets and tomatoes, now being packed in Texas and Florida.

NOTICE!! LOCKER PATRONS

The plant will be open for business within the next few days. We will begin accepting meat on or before March 6.

MEAT WILL BE ACCEPTED BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Do not kill your stock until you are assured of refrigeration as meat should be delivered within 4 hours after butchering.

Phone 133 or 74 after February 29 for appointment

THE ZERO LOCKER CO. 161 EDISON AVE.



(Continued from Page Four) House. But Murray was still indignant.

"I am fed up," he said, "with the conduct of unions which you and your type represent."

"Nobody can call me a Red-baiter," Murray continued. "I couldn't be a Red-baiter, of I wanted to. But now I can understand the protests of John L. Lewis during the Little Steel wage dispute as to who is running the labor movement."

LEFT WING BACKS DOWN

Murray was also bitter against Roosevelt and accused him of double-talk regarding his friendship for labor and his plans to draft labor.

Finally the left-wing unions which had wired the White House took a thirty-minute recess to discuss the matter. Then they came back ready to go along with Phil Murray and the CIO right wing.

Murray then entertained a motion to reaffirm the position of the CIO as previously adopted at Philadelphia—namely, against a national service act. This was unanimously adopted.

The left-wing unions justified their vote for this resolution on the grounds that they had been for Roosevelt's entire five-point program, including high taxes for business, etc. Since he probably would not get his other four points, they decided not to champion a national service act alone.

Note: Only other excitement at the meeting was a speech by Harry Bridges complaining that the War Labor Board was way behind with its decisions. He wanted to know why the labor members on the board didn't speed things up. This brought a hot rejoinder from Van A. Bittner, a CIO representative on the board, who made some none-too-complimentary remarks about Bridges. Bittner ended with: "You can't delouse a louse."

ROOSEVELT IN 1945

Every White House visitor who has the nerve to bring up the question has been trying to get something out of FDR about the fourth term. But the fishing has been poor—until one day recently, when Texas' Congressman Lyndon Johnson tried his luck.

Johnson stumbled onto his catch without having to work for it. The discussion was about the troubles of a President who has an insurgent Congress on his hands. Johnson made the point that the next Congress may be Republican, and thus harder to deal with.

The President rose to the bait. He said he was not afraid of a Republican Congress. "If they buck me," he said, "I can make it tougher for them than I can for a Congress dominated by my own party."

The logic itself was interesting—that a Democratic President could fight more openly and boldly with a Republican Congress, and rally the public on his side.

But still more interesting was the disclosure that Roosevelt, perhaps caught off base, was thinking of the problems of the Presidency beyond 1944.

City and N & W Reach Agreement for Repair Of Grade Crossings

Satisfactory solution has been worked out between Circleville city officials and Norfolk and Western railroad officials for correcting crossing situations in Circleville, announcement being made that the city has put its approval on the condition of all crossings except at Clinton street where a walk will be built.

The agreement came during a conference at the freight station and concluded at the Clinton street crossing. Participating in the confab were W. H. Bettis, assistant N. and W. engineer; F. E. Taylor and J. W. Neikirk, assistant superintendents of Portsmouth; John C. Goeller, council president; T. W. White, Ray Anderson and George Crites of council, and Clarence Helvering, service director.

A. V. Osborn, local agent for the N. and W., said Saturday: "It was unanimously agreed that, with the exception of the Clinton street problem that other crossings were in satisfactory condition. It was brought out in the discussions that the action taken by council ordering the railroad to take some action on its crossings did not pertain to all crossings, but specifically that at Clinton street."

Mr. Neikirk pointed out, Mr. Osborn said, that considering the amount of traffic going over Circleville's great number of grade crossings that a check up would show the crossing system to be in splendid condition. The Norfolk and Western spends more money for labor and materials for maintaining its crossings than most other railroads in the area.

Mr. Osborn said that the company obtains its crossing material from a Chillicothe firm which delivers ready-mixed material on the ground. The firm expects to reopen its plant about March 10 and all crossings which need care will be taken care of at that time.

"N. and W. officials," Mr. Osborn said, "readily agreed to remedy the condition on Clinton street, and as soon as material is available it will be taken care of. Mr. Helvering will also apply pea gravel or some suitable material after leveling a walk-way north of the tracks. At present, persons walking Clinton street must go into the street even after crossing the tracks. A walk-way across the tracks will not solve the problem unless the city continues that walk-way."

It was understood that the city will extend the walk-way to correct the condition. "City officials and railroad officials were much-pleased by the spirit of cooperation shown," Mr. Osborn said, "and it was pointed out by some of the older city officials that no trouble had ever been experienced with the N. and W. It was also pointed out that the N. and W. has done a good job in helping the county in its Third and Fourth War Loan campaigns, splendid subscriptions credited to the Pickaway county campaign fund."

DEFERRED DRAFT GROUP FACING TOUGHER DAYS

Pickaway county draft registrants of military age were warned again Saturday by Major General Lewis B. Hershey that "tougher days" are ahead for them.

The warning came when Major General Hershey appeared before the senate agricultural committee to answer questions concerning farm labor and the draft.

The draft chief flatly declared that rough days are ahead for men now deferred because of occupation.

A week ago the national selective service director ordered draft boards to reopen all classifications of men deferred for agriculture to learn whether those enjoying deferments deserve them.

"We have to cut down on deferments," Hershey told the committee members. "The rules of yesterday are not those of today, and the rules of tomorrow will be worse."

Pickaway county draft office is already checking its files to determine if its pool of farm youths and men is as it should be. Persons found to be producing sufficient War Units to warrant their remaining on the farm will be permitted to stay there. Others will be put into classifications which will make them eligible for immediate calls into service.

COURT NEWS

PICKAWAY COUNTY Common Pleas

Howard W. Miller vs. Claude W. Work et al. Journal entry confirming return of sheriff and report of commission awarding estate to executor to take at appraised value; ordering payment of money to sheriff and executor to deliver deed and distribute assets.

Samuel P. Valentine vs. May Walters and others. Court's opinion on motion of plaintiff filed.

George L. Kuhlwein estate, appointment of administratrix filed. Ferd Dunn estate, first and final account filed.

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Interned Japs Make Demand for Concessions

U. S. NIPS WOULD TRAVEL OVER NATION AT WILL

Full Rights And Privileges Of Citizenship Asked In 11 Point Program

PETITION SENT TO FDR

"Equal Opportunity" In Armed Forces Included In Requests

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—Arbitrary demands of Japanese-American internees in the Granada (Colo.) relocation center for full "rights and privileges of citizenship" were disclosed today by the war relocation authority.

In a petition, which WRA Chief Dillon Myer said will be sent to President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Stimson, the evacuees called for eleven separate concessions from the government.

They petitioned for the right to live and travel at will throughout the United States and demanded "equal opportunity" in the United States armed forces for Jap draftees.

They urged that Japs taken into this nation's armed forces "hereafter be co-mingled with citizens of other racial extractions and not be assigned to segregated units."

The petition signed by the community council, requested:

Ask Corrections

"That immediate and more vigorous effort be made by the United States government towards enlightening the misinformed American public with truth regarding the Japanese in America, and that the factual difference between the people of Japanese extraction who are loyal citizens and law-abiding residents of this country and the Japanese people in Japan be clearly presented."

Another point brought out in the Japanese citizens' statement was an appeal for their people to be "freely admitted to all the schools on the same basis with students of other racial extraction."

Commenting on the request, Myer said he did not consider it "an indication of disloyalty among the Japanese evacuees."

Others File Demands

The WRA further disclosed there have been other such demands from similar camps in the country, but asserted these others came to his attention "by the grapevine route," not officially.

It was pointed out by WRA spokesmen that the petition was submitted to Myer for his advice on "How to present it to President Roosevelt and Secretary Stimson."

"The draft age evacuee Americans of Japanese ancestry have been and are responding to the call of the government to accept military service and civilian re-

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FDR Orders Review Of Draft Deferments To Meet "Grave Shortage"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—Declaring that 1944 will be the crucial year of the war, President Roosevelt called today for a review of all occupational draft deferments to make up a "grave shortage" of manpower in the armed forces.

The President cited the fact that almost five million men of draft age are now deferred from military service including almost 550,000 non-fathers under 26 years of age who have been deferred in agriculture.

The President also stated that the "army will not reach its planned January strength until sometime in April, or even later," unless selective service does something about it.

Hero In Air School



NAVY radioman Lester H. Boutte of Abbeville, La., who was awarded the Air Medal for aiding in the rescue of Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker and his companions in the Pacific Ocean, is now a student in the U. S. Navy's pre-flight school in Athens, Georgia. (International)

Japs' Navy Still Lacks Fight Nerve

"Phantom Fleet" Either On Run Or Hiding In Or Around Philippines

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—Japan's "phantom fleet" today was on the run or hiding in or around the Philippines or the home islands.

Such is the consensus in naval circles following disclosure that no enemy warships were trapped at anchor when United States carrier-based planes blasted the Marianas. Secretary of the Navy Knox told reporters that the only possible conclusion was that the Jap fleet "has pulled back to the Philippines or the home islands."

Reluctance of the imperial fleet to do battle with American sea-air forces was indicated by the fact that the United States armada carried out its assault on the Marianas a day after it was detected and attacked by enemy planes.

Some naval sources had anticipated a fierce battle between American and Japanese fleet units when the United States flotilla sailed boldly into the heart of the enemy's Pacific stronghold near Guam.

Japan's growing inability to defend its outposts was best indicated in the Saipan raid because the

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GREEDY PARENTS UNDER ATTACK

Judge Blames Desire To Make Money, Not War, For Child Delinquency

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—Juvenile Court Judge Chris Barnette of Shreveport, La., said today that greedy parents and not war hysteria or lowered moral standards are responsible for the pyramiding of juvenile delinquency.

Barnette, who testified before a senate subcommittee probing juvenile delinquency and runaway children, contended that war hysteria was merely a convenient cover-up for negligent parents.

"Parents concentrate altogether too much energy and thought on making money," Barnette declared. "They have no time for their children and little influence over them."

War working mothers are an important factor in the soaring delinquency rate, the juvenile court judge declared. He pointed out that financial prosperity was no substitute for supervision and guidance.

Barnette said that juvenile delinquency had been ballyhooed too much and made too attractive to youngsters. This, he declared, led them to believe that delinquency was the rule and the thing expected of them.

The Louisiana jurist said emphatically that delinquency is an accumulation of small offenses which finally reached serious proportions. Preoccupied parents miss the first indications of small deceptions on the part of the child, he said.

"It is a vicious circle," Barnette observed. "The child has no one to see that he does his homework and soon he is afraid to go to school because he does not know his work."

"His problems mount when he stays away from school and either he gets desperate and runs away in an attempt to shake them off or else he has too much time on

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CHARLES McNARY, U. S. SENATOR FOR 26 YEARS, DIES

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Feb. 26—The body of Sen. Charles L. McNary of Oregon, Republican floor leader of the U. S. senate, reposed in a funeral home today awaiting completion of funeral arrangements.

The 1940 GOP vice presidential candidate who had represented his state in the upper house 26 years died yesterday in a small ocean front apartment he had occupied for several weeks.

McNary came to Fort Lauderdale to recuperate last December after undergoing a brain operation in Washington November 15. His condition had been critical for several days.

At the bedside when death came were Mrs. McNary, the former Cornelia Morton, and his eight-year-old daughter, Charlotte.

The son of Oregon pioneers, McNary was born on a farm near Salem. He would have been 70 years old on June 12.

Appointed to the senate to fill a vacancy in 1917, he was elected to the office in 1918 and reelected without interruption afterward.

He frequently was referred to as the most popular man in the senate body.

COURT DENIES TRIAL STAY FOR JAMES COLLETT

Defense Also Refused Right To Study Autopsy Report In Triple Murder

HEARING OPENS MONDAY

Prosecutor To Ask Death Penalty For Clinton County Farmer

(Special to The Herald)

WASHINGTON, C. H., Feb. 26—James Collett, Clinton county farmer who admitted, according to a purported confession that he shot Elmer McCoy, his brother-in-law, to death in an argument over money, will go on trial next Monday before Judge H. M. Rankin in Fayette county common pleas court.

Collett is charged with murders of McCoy, his wife and his daughter, all on Thanksgiving eve. In his confession, obtained in Toledo by Prosecutor John Hill and Sheriff W. H. Icenhower, he admitted, the state charges, that he slew McCoy, but denies knowledge of how the women met their death. The state claims he killed all three.

Possibility that the trial date would be extended was blasted Saturday morning when Judge Rankin overruled a defense motion for a continuance. The judge also refused a defense motion in which Collett's lawyers had sought the right to study an autopsy report made over the bodies of the three members of the McCoy family.

Asks Continuation

Attorney James N. Linton's reasons for asking a continuation were threefold. He claimed that Collett had not been granted his constitutional rights, that no coroner's report had been made available to the defense, and that the defendant does not know the nature of the charges against him.

Judge Rankin heard the motion Friday afternoon as soon as it was filed, but reserved judgment until Saturday morning.

Prosecutor Hill declared that the motion embodied nothing that

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ARMOR PLATE PLANT CLOSES AS 6,000 STRIKE

DETROIT, Feb. 26—Six thousand men joined a strike early this morning at the Great Lakes Steel Co. plant at Ecorse, and company spokesmen predicted that the vast plant will be shut down entirely.

The plant, which is the sole source of armor plate for landing craft, was practically closed last night when 6,000 employees of the midnight shift refused to cross a picketline around the plant, officials said.

The strike began Friday morning when 500 men left their jobs in protest over the dismissal of a worker who allegedly left the plant early after shutting down his unit.

Blast furnaces are being kept going at a reduced rate, officials said, in the hope of an early settlement.

With 7,000 workers still out at the Briggs Manufacturing Company, in protest over a Saturday closing order, the total of strikers in the Detroit area now is 13,000.

TOKYO EXPECTS 'SOMETHING' AND IT WILL COME

NEW YORK, Feb. 26—The Tokyo newspaper Shimbun, warning that "something unexpected might happen to Tokyo," called today for an immediate speeding up of evacuation programs in the capital and other major Japanese cities.

The paper was quoted by the Moscow radio in a broadcast recorded by the FCC.

ALLIES RAZE WAR INDUSTRIES NEAR PARIS



ALMOST COMPLETE DEVASTATION greeted the inhabitants of this suburb of Paris when they emerged from shelters after Allied bombers had done a thorough job of leveling German-operated war plants clustered around the French capital. This photo, sent here from a neutral country, clearly shows the terrific damage Nazi industries are suffering at the hands of our rapidly growing air armada in England. (International)

NEW ARGENTINE RULE SHUNNED

Uruguay, Brazil, Venezuela May Refuse To Grant Recognition

MONTEVIDEO, Feb. 26—Diplomatic circles predicted today that Uruguay, Brazil and Venezuela would refuse recognition to the new Argentine government, despite the belief prevalent in Buenos Aires that such international protocol is unnecessary as Gen. Edelmiro Farrell reportedly merely accepted delegated powers.

Dispatches from the Argentine capital said that Gen. Pedro P. Ramirez "delegated" his authority to Farrell, his vice-president and war minister, because he was "very tired." Ramirez's declaration, making known to the people of Argentina that he had given up his powers, made no mention of resignation. From this fact apparently stemmed the belief that no new regime would have to be recognized by foreign countries.

However, the Diario Lazaron of Montevideo said Ramirez had actually been forced to resign at gunpoint, and later was "thrown into jail." The publication said Col. Juan Peron ordered troops from Camp May on the outskirts of Buenos Aires to march to the presidential palace and occupy it if Ramirez refused to quit his post.

Another press report declared that Peron actually is the new chief of the Argentine government, although Farrell is president. The latter was identified with Argentina's so-called "colonel's clique" which reportedly opposed the nation's recent diplomatic break with the Axis and decided to remove Ramirez to forestall a declaration of war on Germany and Japan.

(The United Nations radio at Algiers, heard by CBS, said Buenos Aires circles had "confirmed" a report that most of the Argentine cabinet had resigned along with Ramirez.)

AUTO WORKERS' CHIEF IRKED BY SOLONS' REVOLT

CHICAGO, Feb. 26—Assailing the congressional revolt over President Roosevelt's veto of the tax bill, R. J. Thomas, president of the United Automobile Workers (CIO), today called on labor to elect another congress.

Speaking before an educational conference in Chicago, Thomas advised delegates to impress on local unions the need for political action.

The labor leader also attacked propaganda for a negotiated peace, which he predicted would be the result if the stalemate in Italy is prolonged.

Thomas denounced what he termed the "reactionary press" for alleged failure to support the administration's war effort.

OLD DEVIL SEA RETURNS LEG TO SHIP CAPTAIN

OTTAWA, Feb. 26—That old devil sea (with pardons for omitting Scandinavian accent upon this expression), some times, but not often, gives back what it takes.

Take the strange case of Capt. William Clendaniel, genial and weather-beaten skipper, for instance. Capt. Clendaniel had a wooden leg, a very favorite wooden leg. But during a storm off the Newfoundland coast when his ship was wrecked vainly trying to rescue another vessel the captain lost his valued artificial limb.

He later was rescued and taken to an American base hospital at Fort Pepperwell, but all attempts to provide him with a new wooden leg failed. He didn't like the modern fashions.

But one morning someone phoned the hospital that a wooden leg has been found on the beach, not far from the hospital. The sea had returned Capt. Clendaniel's favorite wooden leg.

RELEASED WAR PRISONERS SAY NAZIS HARD HIT

LISBON, Feb. 26—American nationals being repatriated through Lisbon as prisoners of war from Germany began a week's rest at the luxury hotel Estoril today before boarding the liner Gripsholm for their homeward voyage.

In all, some 277 internees were taken to the Estoril including United States and Latin-American diplomats, newspapermen and Red Cross officials.

Port police prevented all communication with arriving German passengers aboard the Gripsholm and the trains. Some 33 wounded American soldiers who were in the first trainload were under strict orders not to speak of their experiences within Germany until they have reached the United States.

However, CBS correspondent Glenn Stadler broadcast from Lisbon that some of the American repatriates said Allied bombings are having a "terrific effect" on German morale and production.

Stadler added that South American repatriates declared the Germans are "still very powerful" and will be able to inflict heavy damage before the war is ended.

SUGAR SUPPLY DROPS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—Certain industrial users of sugar must take a 10 percent cut in allocations beginning April 1, it was disclosed today as the War Food Administration warned that civilian supplies of sugar will be about six percent lower in 1944 than last year. Many non-essential industrial sugar consumers will be forced to take 70 instead of 80 percent of their base period sugar allotments in April, OPA sources said.

FINNS MAY HAVE RED INVITATION

Moderate Armistice, Peace Terms Await Delegation In Russ Capital

LONDON, Feb. 26—Well-informed Stockholm quarters, quoted in a Reuters dispatch today said that Soviet Russia has invited a Finnish military and political delegation to Moscow to receive armistice and peace terms.

The Russian terms, these sources added, were "moderate" and included establishment of the 1940 Russo-Finnish border and "isolation" of German troops in northern Norway.

The Soviet union was said to be uninterested in the constitution of the Finnish government and was not demanding any changes.

Earlier the Finnish radio said Dr. Juho K. Paasikivi addressed the results of his trip to Stockholm. The journey was said to have been in the interests of negotiated peace with Russia.

A Stockholm dispatch to international news service said the peace terms are being studied with great interest in Helsinki, having first been submitted to British authorities. The United States was not consulted on the proposals, inasmuch as the U. S. is not at war with the Finns.

One of the most delicate problems, according to the INS dispatch from Stockholm, revolved about proposed internment of some 100,000 German troops still in northern Finland. Russia was expected to be agreeable should the Finns permit the Nazis to evacuate, for such a development would allow the Soviets to make better use of 20 divisions now pinned down on the Finnish front.

RED AND BLACK AND GRANDVIEW VIE IN TOURNAMENT

Coach Roy Black drew Grandview Saturday as Circleville high's first opponent in the Central district tournament. The game will be played in Edwards gymnasium, Delaware, next Thursday at 7:30 p. m. The drawing was held at Delaware.

Grandview's record compares favorably with Circleville's during the regular season, the draw being considered a favorable one so far as CHS chances of advancement are concerned.

Also in the bracket with the Tigers are Columbus Central, West, Aquinas, West, Bexley, South and Delaware.

If victorious in the first round, the Tigers will meet the winner of the Westerville-Bexley game which would almost certainly be Bexley.

Newark, top-heavy favorite, is in the opposite bracket.

PLANE MAKING CENTER POUNDED FOR THIRD TIME

Night Attack Climaxes Week Of Great Activity By 10,000 Allied Aircraft

BEACHHEAD AREA QUIET

Japs Suffer Setbacks And Russians Now Menace New Rail Junctions

By International News Service

Two great formations of British Lancasters and Halifaxes pulverized Augsburg during the night in the third blockbuster assault on the vital Messerschmitt center within 12 hours.

The RAF armadas hit Augsburg twice, carrying out the second double-barrelled attack on a German city within 24 hours. Two big British formations pummeled Stuttgart on Friday night.

Twenty-four bombers failed to return from the night raid on Augsburg which is an important production center for aircraft and submarine engines as well as the site of the vast Messerschmitt works.

Within 12 hours, Augsburg was hit three times by British heavy bombers and by fighter-escorted American Fortresses and Liberators.

The night attacks climaxed a week of the most concentrated and sustained aerial offensive carried out against industrial targets in the Reich. An estimated 10,000 Allied planes took part in the seven days' operations, and air circles said as many as 17,000 tons of high explosives may have rained on Germany's reeling war industries since last Sunday.

The RAF formations roared over Germany in the wake of heavy strikes at four fighter aircraft centers and in south and southwest portions of the Reich. Highlight of those raids was a two-way assault on Regensburg, in which 145 Nazi planes were smashed. Of the German planes downed, 52 were knocked out by British-based planes and 93 by aircraft sweeping up from Italian bases.

All told, 70 Allied bombers and eight fighter planes failed to return to their airfields from the Regensburg raid.

The Mediterranean air force also continued supporting Allied ground forces on the beachhead south of Rome, flying 800 sorties as compared with but four individual operations of the German airman.

The aerial protection given the Fifth Army on the Anzio beachhead virtually was complete, extending even to the seaward side. When German torpedo boats tried

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BARKLEY STIR TAPERING OFF IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—The excitement caused by Democratic Senate Leader Barkley's break with President Roosevelt tapered off today but hard-boiled observers questioned whether the reconciliation between them will endure future legislative clashes.

The exchange of letters between them, in which each expressed high regard for the other, failed to blunt the dagger-like words used by Mr. Roosevelt in his tax bill veto message and Barkley's reply.

The tax bill itself, estimated to yield two and a third billions a year, becomes law as a result of senate passage over the veto by a vote of 72 to 14. The house had passed it over the veto by 299 to 95.

The first test of reconciliation between the President and Barkley may come when the "Big Four" leaders in congress go to the White House for a legislative conference. Barkley expressed willingness to attend. The conferences usually are held Monday.

Apparently convinced that his course was right, Barkley told reporters he slept but little two nights before he made his speech breaking with the President, but slept fine after he made the speech.

"I hope it works out," said Barkley after the tax bill had been made into law by senate action.

OUR WEATHER MAN



LOCAL	High	Low
High Friday, 57.	59	23
Year ago, 37.	58	22
Low Saturday, 48.	57	20
Year ago, 16.	56	19
Rainfall, .57 of an inch in last 24 hours.	55	18
TEMPERATURES ELSEWHERE	High	Low
Akron, O.	50	22
Atlanta, Ga.	58	27
Bismarck, N. Dak.	24	20
Buffalo, N. Y.	42	24
Chicago, Ill.	42	34
Cincinnati, O.	52	21
Cleveland, O.	51	27
Dayton, O.	45	25
Detroit, Mich.	38	29
Duluth, Minn.	30	21
Fort Worth, Tex.	61	21
Huntington, W. Va.	61	24
Indianapolis, Ind.	49	37
Kansas City, Mo.	73	45
Los Angeles, Calif.	61	35
Louisville, Ky.	59	43
Miami, Fla.	84	69
Minneapolis, Minn.	45	29
New Orleans, La.	30	46
New York, N. Y.	46	33
Oklahoma City, Okla.	73	61
Pittsburgh, Pa.	52	25
Portland, Ore.	42	27
San Francisco, Calif.	54	29
Seattle, Wash.	42	25
Washington, D. C.	54	29

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to attack ships unloading supplies for the Anglo-American troops. Allied coastal planes darted in to frustrate the enemy efforts.

Concerning land action in Italy, the official communique from Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson's headquarters had few details. Although little was known of developments on the beachhead, where the Allies were preparing to meet an anticipated German all-out drive, both on the Cassino and Eighth Army fronts Nazi counter-thrusts were repulsed.

On the eastern front, the Red Army drove at the rate of 15 miles in the last 24 hours and smashed its way into the outskirts of Pskov, barring the way into northern Latvia and southern Estonia. While one Soviet spearhead entered the city's environs from the east, another advanced Russian element was only six miles above the key railroad junction.

Other Russian troops advancing north of captured Rogachev menaced the important rail junctions of Mogilev, Orsha and Vitebsk—all important enemy bastions shielding the approach of the Baltic states.

Halfway around the globe, the Japs also suffered setbacks.

A German overseas agency broadcast quoted a Tokyo dispatch as saying that a fierce battle has been raging for days at Guam, where a Jap garrison is resisting attack by an American naval force. There was nothing in official Allied circles to substantiate the enemy transmission, although the former American island outpost was known to have been attacked by a U. S. carrier force which also took a toll of 135 Nipponese planes during a daring assault on the Marianas islands.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz' communique said 11 enemy ships were destroyed or damaged in the Marianas attack, but none of these were warships that the American navy has been seeking to engage in a showdown fight.

Allied airmen attacked Rabaul, New Britain, and met no opposition; they also hammered Wewak and Reij bay, New Britain.

BERMUDA BIRTHS RISE
HAMILTON, Bermuda.—A total of 955 births was reported in Bermuda last year out of an estimated 35,000 permanent population. This was an all-time high. The problem is complicated by the fact that 21 percent of the births were illegitimate, which raises a moral and social problem of some magnitude for a small community of mixed population.

WAR DOGS CITED
WASHINGTON, D. C.—Six war dogs attached to the U. S. Marine Corps have been cited for outstanding performance against Japanese forces on Bougainville Island. Two of the dogs were wounded in action. Both will recover. The dogs included four Doberman pinschers, a Belgian shepherd and a German shepherd.

Portland, Me., was so thoroughly destroyed by the Indians in 1690, that no one was left to bury the victims; their bleached bones were gathered up and buried some two years later.

NEW FORD MOTOR GARAGE OPENS IN CITY MARCH 1

A new Ford Motor Co. sales and service establishment will be opened in Circleville March 1, the business marking the first time the Ford company has had a local agency for several years.

The Harry E. Clifton building, West Main street, has been leased by E. S. Creachbaum and G. C. Schumacher of St. Louis, Mo. Their lease starts March 1, and they expect to open for business shortly after that time.

Both men have been employees of the Ford Motor Co., working out of Detroit for the last 10 years.

While sales will of course be limited the company to be named the C. and S. Motor Sales Co., will provide automobile service.

COURT DENIES TRIAL STAY FOR JAMES COLLETT

Also Refused Right Study Autopsy Report In Triple Murder

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had not been covered before when the defendant asked a bill of particulars, which the court had denied.

The prosecutor declared that the state would demand the death penalty for Collett, a prominent Clinton county farmer.

"We will ask the death penalty, and in a crime so horrible in which three persons were slain, we would not think of asking anything else," he said.

The state, which had called only three witnesses up to Friday, added two more to its list, including Miss Kathryn Wead, with whom Mildred McCoy taught at Pittsburgh, Darke county, and Maxine Allen, also a friend. Both live at Xenia.

The trial is attracting much attention throughout the state.

WALNUT SCHOOL TAKES LEAD IN PAPER SALVAGE

Walnut township school took the lead in the county schools' scrap paper salvage drive Friday when it reported seven tons of paper collected by school youngsters.

Six tons have already been hauled to dealers while the other will be hauled into Circleville early next week.

The drive was declared to be a great success in the Walnut township area.

No other townships have reported the results of their campaign.

Carl Bennett, Walnut township superintendent, said the drive was so successful at his school because each class was competing against the other. The class having the finest report in poundage was to receive the check for all the paper sold to salvagers. He said the sophomore class had collected 4,500 pounds, pacing all others; none of the classes collected less than 2,000 pounds.

Reports from other schools are expected to be received early next week.

The gila monster of Mexico has a large, heavy looking tail. It is very useful to him, for inside it he stores up fat on which he can draw when the fierce desert drought sets in.

Local Theatres Offer Moviegoers Varied Entertainment



GREER GARSON AND WALTER PIDGEON portray Marie and Pierre Curie, the world-famous scientists and discoverers of radium, in M-G-M's filmization of Eve Curie's best-selling biography of her mother, "Madame Curie." The romance of the Curies is one of the tenderest love stories ever told. It appears Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at the Grand theatre.

PICKLE FAMILY BRAWLS OVER SCION CUSTODY

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Feb. 26—A bitter custody battle for Clifford Heinz III, four-year-old son of the famous pickle family, was under way today, following an opening round of hair-pulling and shin-kicking.

Mrs. Sara MacLean obtained an assault and battery warrant charging that her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Bald Heinz of Baltimore, Md., struck and kicked her, pulled her hair and choked her in a street encounter in Beverly Hills.

Mrs. Heinz, surrendered later to Detective Capt. W. W. White at the Beverly Hills police station, and immediately hurled counter-charges against her mother-in-law and estranged husband, Clifford S. Heinz II.

She charged that Heinz took their son from New York City three weeks ago without informing her. Seeking custody of the child, Mrs. Heinz sought a writ of habeas corpus, returnable Monday in Los Angeles superior court.

Mrs. MacLean, meanwhile, gave a play-by-play account of the battle:

"While I was walking with my grandson," Mrs. MacLean said, "my daughter-in-law got out of a car. She struck me, kicked my leg, grabbed me by the throat and pulled my hair. Then she struck my grandson on the forehead."

Mrs. Heinz countered by saying that Mrs. MacLean started the fracas by "seizing me by the hair and pulling me to the ground."

C. C. NEUNER DIES
Christopher C. Neuner, native of Pickaway county but a resident of Columbus for many years, died Friday at his home in the capital city. Mr. Neuner's survivors include two daughters, five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. The funeral was held Saturday with burial in a cemetery near Lancaster.

CURTAIN CATCHES FIRE
A curtain was burned at the home of Mrs. R. E. Hundley, 122 York street, Saturday at 11:40 a. m., firemen being called to the home. Whether a stove became overheated, or just what caused the fire was not certain.

SIX LOCAL MEN SWORN IN FOR ARMY SERVICE

Six men who reported at Fort Thomas, Ky., this week to start training in the U. S. army have been sworn into service. Local draft board was informed by Fort Thomas that they are now in the army. They left here as civilians after passing pre-induction physicals several weeks ago in Huntington, W. Va.

The men sworn in were Otto J. Blubaugh, Lloyd E. Davy, Lloyd R. Linton, William Guy Cain, Jr., Arthur C. Wilkes, and Theodore Riggins. William Arledge, who also went with the group, was not sworn in immediately pending further physical examination.

Where the men will be assigned for training has not yet been decided.

HENRY MCCRADY FILES FOR COUNTY ENGINEER

Henry McCrady, Pickaway county engineer, today became the first office-seeker to file his petition for renomination and election.

Mr. McCrady's petition was presented to the board of elections Saturday morning. He is a Democrat.

March 10 is the final date for filing petitions, the primary being May 9.

FUGITIVES CAPTURED

Four youths who walked away from the Orient institution for feebleminded sometime Friday were taken into custody Saturday morning by Deputy Sheriff Vern Pontious. The youths spent the night in a hog house on a farm near Five Points. Custodians from Orient were to call at the sheriff's office later in the day to return the quartet.

NEW SOLDIER SHOW
CARLISLE, Pa.—A new soldiers' show from the Army's medical field service school at Carlisle is taking to the road again to aid the Fourth War Loan drive. It is called "Ten Nights in a Squad-room."



BILLY GILBERT AND FRANK FAY share the spotlight in the comedy "Spotlight Scandals" which is coupled with "The Racket Man", at the Cliftona theatre Sunday and Monday. Also featured in "Spotlight Scandals", will be Bonnie Baker, Herb Miller and his band, the Radio Rogues and Henry King's orchestra.

U. S. NIPS WOULD TRAVEL OVER NATION AT WILL

Full Rights And Privileges Of Citizenship Asked In 11 Point Program

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sponsibilities in the war effort," the petition began.

It went on to explain that the evacuees suffered "severe economic losses and hardships and are faced with numerous problems both present and future."

The council demanded that any resettlement policy of the evacuees still remaining in the centers "be coupled with adequate government protection and the economic means to start life anew."

"We believe that the rights and privileges of citizenship should, in all justice, be combined with the duties and obligations of citizenship," it continued.

Requests Listed

The statement also asked:

1. "That all evacuees be accorded all rights and privileges which the constitution of the United States gives them."

2. "That evacuees' right to travel and live wherever they choose within any of the 48 states and territories of the United States, on the very same basis as any other American citizen or resident, be restored without delay."

3. "That clarification be made regarding the voting and residential status of Japanese-Americans who become of age in the centers."

4. "That the right to become naturalized citizens of the United States be extended to the alien Japanese."

5. "That pending complete resettlement, relocation centers be preserved and evacuees remaining therein be accorded treatment befitting loyal Americans and law-abiding residents, and that adequate wages be paid them according to U. S. army standards."

GREEDY PARENTS UNDER ATTACK

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his hands and gets into mischief. "Parents should be the first to know if their children are not attending school or if their grades are low. They should take steps then to prevent the children from becoming delinquent."

The only lowering of moral standards which Barnette said he had observed was the result of the industrialization of women.

"Women have adopted the double standard," he said. "They are doing the jobs of laborers, truck drivers and welders among other things and they cannot see why they cannot do all the things that men do."

"It is adults who raise or lower moral standards—children merely reflect the change."

In the average human hand the third finger is as long as the hand is wide, and the space from the body of the hand to the wrist measures the same. Gloves are made in that proportion.

CIRCLE 2 BIG HITS 2
SUN.-MON.-TUES.
2 HITS!

HOSKINS WILL
The will of the late Sherman Hoskins of Darby township establishes a life estate for his widow, Jennie, with O. J. Ray of Mount Sterling appointed as executor. The property is estimated to be worth \$5,300.

Readin' writin' n refreshment
DRINK Coca-Cola 5¢

PLUS HIT NO. 2
"BULLET CODE"
—with—
GEORGE O'BRIEN



"ASSIE COME HOME", starring Roddy McDowall and the dog named Lassie, will be featured at the Circle theatre in its Sunday, Monday and Tuesday bill. Also in the theatre's bill is "Bullet Code", with George O'Brien.

NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Private First Class Delos H. Marcy of Fort George Meade, Maryland, arrived in Circleville Saturday for a short furlough.

Marine Private First Class Glenn Dunkle of Washington, D. C., is home for a short furlough.

Sergeant Jerry Miller of Camp Atterbury, Ind., has arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Miller, near South Bloomfield, for a furlough.

Marion I. (Irvin) Smith has been promoted from staff sergeant to technical sergeant. He also has a birthday March 24. His address is ASN 35404568, APO 635, care of Postmaster, N. Y. His complete address may be obtained from his sister, Mrs. Harry Styers, Jr., 957 South Pickaway street. He is serving in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis, East Mound street, received word this week from their son, Corporal Harold E. Davis, that he has arrived safely in Australia. His address is: ASN 35424411, APO 925, care of postmaster, San Francisco, Cal.

Earl Hicke, formerly of New Holland, has been promoted from corporal to sergeant. Hicke is at Fort McClelland, Ala. His wife is living in Washington C. H. while he is in service.

When General Sherman generalized that "war is hell," he probably overlooked the fact that even hell is not such a helluva spot at times. There's always the lighter side to help the hell-raisers grin and bear it.

For instance, there was the case of Pvt. John Lafferty's chest. A Hattiesburg, Miss., physician heard strange noises through his stethoscope in the vicinity of Private Lafferty's sternum, and had him sent to the hospital. It turned out to be a new racket; simply hair crunching on the soldier's manly chest!

Private Ralph Faumough has been assigned to LaJunto, Colorado, in the 1010th twin engine flight training squadron.

Private Virgil P. Timmons, has been assigned the following address: 35298734, Company B, 4th

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TWO GOOD PICTURES

"SPOTLIGHT SCANDALS"
FEATURE NO. 2

HE BUSTED NEW RACKETS
WIDE OPEN FOR UNCLE SAM!

THE RACKET MAN
with TOM NEAL, JEANNE BATES, NUBI BEAUMONT, LARRY PARKS, DOUGLAS FOWLEY
A COLUMBIA PICTURE

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OH DOCTOR! YOU REMEMBER THOSE FIRST AID CLASSES!

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HERALD PHOTO-FLASHES

ACCUSED BOY SLAYER, 16, READS BIBLE IN JAIL



"I DON'T KNOW. I guess the devil got me." That's what police say Edward Warrichait, 16-year-old farm boy, answered when asked why he had killed his mother and sister at their farm home near St. Charles, Mich. Arrested at Greenville, O., for stealing a car, the boy was returned to Saginaw, where police said Edward dictated a confession while thumbing a Bible and stroking a brown and white terrier that fled the farm with him. The victims of the admitted 'teen-age murderer were Mrs. Blanche Warrichait, 44, and Esther, 9. Edward is shown in jail and signing a confession. (International)

THE VACCHIANOS, TOO, DO THEIR BIT--AND HOW!



THE THREE VACCHIANO BROTHERS of Chicago—Frank, left; James Patrick, center, and Carmen Vacchiano, prepared to leave for the Army the same day, stand to one side and receive the salutes of their wives and children. From left: Frederik, age seven, and Edna, Carmen's son and wife; Mildred, James Patrick's wife, and daughter, Diana Mae, age three; Josephine, Frank's wife, who holds their son, Frank Junior, age two-and-a-half. They all look mighty proud—with good reason! (International)

BARKLEY RE-ELECTED LEADER

Mayor for a Day



U. S. SENATOR Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky (standing, rear) addresses his Democratic colleagues in caucus at Washington after they had unanimously re-elected him their leader. His re-election, cancelling his resignation, was regarded as endorsement of his stand against Pres. Roosevelt's veto of the tax bill. (International Soundphoto)



PRETTY RUTH BOND, dancer and comedienne, has been appointed mayor of Rutherford, N. J., her home town, for a day. She won the honor by making such large bond sales during a personal appearance tour for the Fourth War Loan drive. (International)

BOMBERS HIT JAP AIR BASE IN DARING RAID



THIS UNUSUAL photograph shows the dash, speed and daring that go into an air raid on an enemy base. B-25's of the Fifth Air Force fly low and leave burning Jap planes and installations behind them on Dagua airfield, one of the enemy's major air bases in the Wewak, New Guinea area. (International)

'SOUP'S ON' FOR NAZI PRISONERS



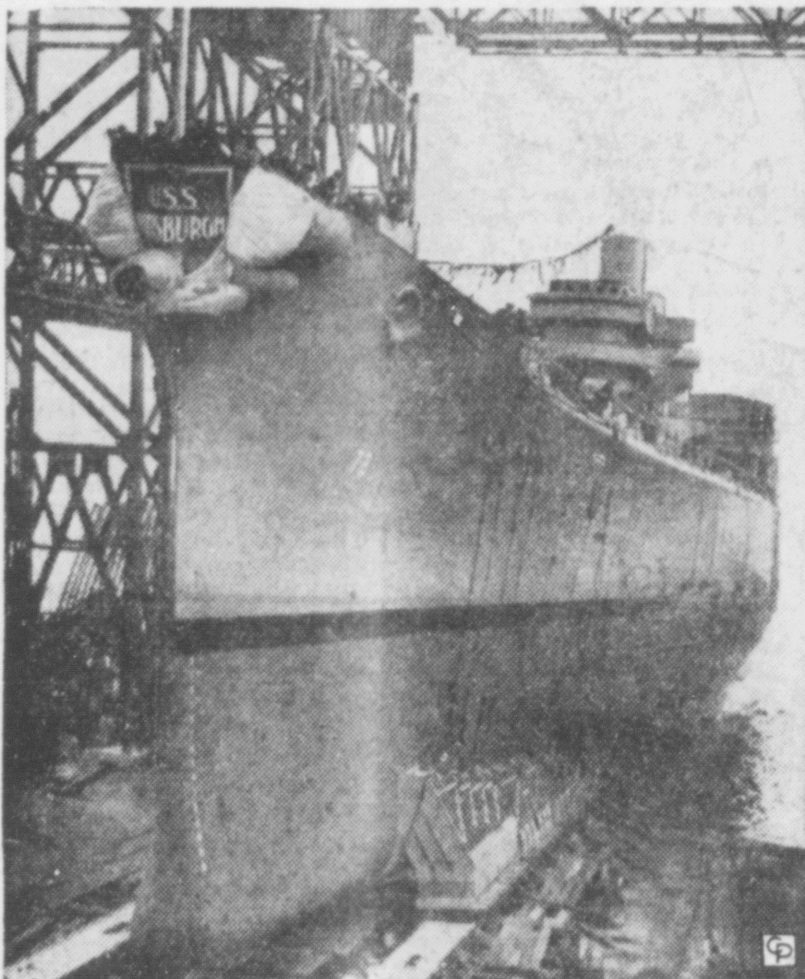
MUCH TO THEIR SURPRISE, these Germans taken prisoner while trying to oust the Allies from their beachhead below Rome found a meal of C rations awaiting them behind the Allied lines. The "chef" is Cpl. Jack McDermott of Lorraine, O. Signal Corps Radiophoto. (International)

HUNGRY ITALIANS BEG FOOD SCRAPS



ITALIAN WOMEN and children hoping to rummage for food scraps in U. S. Army garbage cans near Cassino are stopped by Cpl. John Messina of Port Chester, N. Y. Doughboys have been donating their clean leftovers and part of their rations to hungry civilians. (International)

U. S. S. PITTSBURGH IS LAUNCHED



SPONSORED by Mrs. C. D. Scully, wife of the mayor of Pittsburgh, the U. S. S. Pittsburgh, third vessel to be named for the Smoky City, goes down the way in Boston, Mass. (International Soundphoto)

THREE OF HER QUADRUPLTS DIE



DEATH HAS TAKEN three of the quadruplets born on Washington's birthday to Mrs. Spencer Hutto (above), 23, at Decatur, Ala. Her husband, 25, is a paratrooper at Fort Benning, Ga. Two girls and a boy died, leaving a daughter, Diane. (International Soundphoto)

ATHLETIC HEROES NOW FIGHTING FOR UNCLE SAM



EX-COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC STARS, this group now is in training at the Naval Aviation school at St. Mary's college, California. Left to right are Everett Riddle and George Robotham of U. C. L. A.'s Pacific Coast conference championship football team of 1942; Irving Moore, national junior pole vaulting champ; Burt Jennings, national intercollegiate wrestling champ, and Grover Klemmer, California's quarter-mile champion. This is an official United States Navy photograph. (International)

RED ARMY CHIEFS WHO ARE PUSHING NAZIS BACK



Gen. N. F. Vatutin
First Ukrainian front

Marshal I. S. Konyev
Second Ukrainian front

Gen. K. Rokossovsky
Belo-Russian front



Gen. Rodion L. Malinovsky
Third Ukrainian front

Gen. Kyril A. Mertslov
Volkhov front

Gen. Leonard A. Govorov
Leningrad front

Gen. F. I. Tolbukhin
Fourth Ukrainian front

SILHOUETTE OF DESTRUCTION

It's "The Fox"



FIELD MARSHAL ERWIN ROMMEL, former commander of the Afrika Korps and now in charge of the defense of "Festung Europa," is shown as he inspected German fortifications along the invasion coast. German caption says the photo was made near a railroad battery. (International)



ON WIRES that only seem dangerously thin, a 4,000-lb. bomb is hoisted very carefully into its rack aboard a giant Lancaster about to fly from England on a mission to Germany. The armorers' "thumbs up" shows that all goes well with the delicate job. (International)

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STRANGE INVITATION

BILL Jack of that strange business institution, the Jack and Heinz company, has gone a step further in his get-together dinners for Jahco employees. This time he has invited all members of congress to dine with him in Washington. Nothing like this invitation has ever before been issued. Many senators and congressmen are at a loss as to proper procedure. Should they accept? If so, will they be under some obligation to their hosts, making discussions of renegotiation embarrassing?

Some lawmakers look at it differently. These believe that, inasmuch as they are part of the government, supposed to represent the people, anything enabling them to know more about what Americans think and want will help them do their job better. Some will accept out of sheer curiosity as to what it's all about. Some timid legislators will be afraid to face anything new.

Comment as to the invitation itself is also varied. The Cleveland Plain Dealer regards the affair as in "bad taste, at least." Others think, if a citizen wants to tell congress, he has a right to invite its members to dinner and tell them all at once. They think it's better to be open and forthright than to work through noisy blocs or undercover paid persuaders.

The affair will be interesting from any point of view, and most Americans whether inclined, at first, to praise or blame, await its issue with curiosity.

KIRI LEAVES

SUPERSTITION is nothing to encourage, except among enemies. Japanese superstitions are being used to win the war.

The kiri tree has large, yellow saw-like leaves, which to a Japanese are omens of speedy death. The Office of War Information, learning this, printed messages on sheets resembling kiri leaves, and dropped them on the enemy at Attu. Many are said to have died in consequence.

Before long our planes may have a chance to drop kiri leaves on the mainland of Japan itself.

THIS BROADENING LIFE

Education is good in itself, there is something to be said in favor of the war. Who in this country five years ago could have told much about the Solomons or the Aleutians, or had ever heard of the Kwajalein atoll?

Nor is all the new knowledge geographical. Words like "global," "geopolitics" and "logistics" are, since Pearl Harbor, used freely by people who not so long ago would not have known flak if they had met it in the street.

If there is merit in broader information, we are getting it.

Those Pacific islands have poetical names, but there's no poetry in taking 'em.

The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

PHIL MURRAY WILL FIGHT

WASHINGTON—The second talk which CIO chief Phil Murray had with President Roosevelt over a national service act was probably the most significant from labor's point of view.

The President wanted to see Murray in order to get the powerful backing of CIO unions for the administration's subsidy fight in congress. The Scotch-burred CIO chieftain, one of Roosevelt's staunchest supporters, readily promised his aid on subsidies. Then the President remarked that he had noted Murray was opposed to his labor draft proposal.

Murray told him that he was most emphatically opposed.

"For whom do you speak?" asked the President.

Murray replied that he spoke for the CIO.

Whereupon Roosevelt handed him a telegram from Julius Emspak, head of the Electrical Workers, a CIO union, endorsing a national service act. The Electrical Workers is one of the left-wing CIO unions, and the President indicated that he had other telegrams of endorsement from left-wing CIO unions, including Harry Bridges' longshoremen and Joseph Curran's National Maritime union.

Despite this strong hint that Murray couldn't control his own unions, the CIO chief stood his ground. He asked the President whether he intended to go ahead with his plan to draft labor, even if congress would not approve his entire five-point program.

These five points included: (1) a realistic tax law taxing unreasonable profits; (2) renegotiation of war contracts; (3) subsidies to keep prices down; (4) a new price-wage stabilization act; (5) a national service act.

MURRAY WINS HARMONY

Murray asked this question because he knew congress was opposing most of this program and that the President would have a hard time carrying the first four points. A national service act might be easier.

Roosevelt agreed that congress might not pass his entire program but said he would press for the labor draft just the same.

Murray then replied that he would fight him to the very end.

Immediately afterward, Murray called a meeting of his CIO executive board. His Scotch ire was up. He looked daggers at the left-wing union leaders who had wired the President.

"Gentlemen," he said, his voice edgy with anger, "what policy are we following here—the CIO policy or a foreign policy? At Philadelphia we laid down a policy the CIO was to follow against a national service act, but now I find that there are other policies."

What Murray had in mind was the frequent AFL accusation that some of the CIO unions are dominated or influenced by Russia. The Russian policy has been to win the war at all costs, whether it means drafting labor, working long hours, or anything else.

Harry Bridges, of the West Coast longshoremen, gave Murray a rather mild reply to justify his telegram to the White

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LAFF-A-DAY



DIET AND HEALTH

Air-Swallowing A Universal Ill

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

IF YOU wish to be euphemistic and polite and at the same time scientific you will say that the gentleman you have just been conversing with—

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

versing with—is troubled with aerophagia. But you will not be nearly so intelligent to the average person as if you said—"He burps." Or to descend really into the language of the street you may say—"He did quite a bit of belching."

For most of us this aerophagia is a pleasure, even a luxury. The act is followed by a feeling of well-being. All is quiet along the equator after a good burp. And that is the healthy, normal way to regard the event. But for certain unhappy people it takes on a gloomy aspect. They burp, but they do not enjoy it. They get the idea that it is due to the fermentation of food and this means indigestion and the outlook is ominous.

Now it is comforting to know that investigations have shown that gas on the stomach is not a serious sign at all, nor an indication that the food is fermenting, or that it is not digesting properly. It is due to the habit, quite unconscious, of swallowing air. And the burp does not consist of the results of fermentation, but just plain atmosphere.

Swallow Air

We all swallow some air with each deglutition whether it is of food, fluid or saliva. The amount accumulated after a meal or a drink expands into a bubble at the top of the food level in the stomach and is shortly and quite spontaneously "burped."

An x-ray specialist showed me a veteran belcher behind a fluorscope the other day, drinking a glass of barium. First we could see the small air bubbles that follow each other down the esophagus into the stomach with each swallow of the barium mixture. They formed the usual stomach bubble, resting on top of the barium.

Then the patient was instructed to rid himself of gas, and a truly startling set of manuevers started. He seemed to start sucking and large bubbles of gas travelled down the esophagus to the stomach, distending it rapidly

to quite a degree and making up as much as twice the amount of barium mixture ingested. After the fourth or fifth sucking the whole bubble was released and looked as if it gave quite a bit of satisfaction.

Causes of Gas

Such is the mechanism in the case of the average belcher. There are some real conditions that cause accumulations of gas on the stomach—one is gallbladder trouble, one is obstruction of the outlet of the stomach from ulcer, after which real food fermentation occurs, but this is a very rare condition. The only other way gas accumulates in the stomach without being swallowed is from the action of a Seidlitz powder.

The treatment of the condition is obviously first the use of education to explain the mechanism of the habit. The old idea of putting a cork between the teeth after every meal is cruel and unnecessary. Instruction that swallowing be properly done "by closing the lips, sucking in the cheeks and pressing the tongue against the roof of the mouth before wallowing" is too tedious. Taking five or six deep breaths when assailed with a persistent desire to "burp" is more likely to bring good results.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
A. B.: Will eserine stop or prevent cataract?

Answer:—Eserine is used for glaucoma of the eye and marginal corneal ulcers, not for cataract.

LENTEN REDUCING DIET

By Dr. Clendening

Saturday—450 Calories

BREAKFAST

1 small baked apple—no sweetener or cream.
1 Rusk—no butter or substitute.
1 cup coffee—no cream or sugar.

LUNCHEON

Average helping Roast Capon.
2 tablespoons green beans.
Small helping gelatin dessert—no cream or sauce.

1 cup coffee or tea—no cream or sugar.

SUPPER

1 cup cream soup—made with milk.
2 soda crackers, or 1 slice whole wheat toast.

1 cup tea or coffee—no cream or sugar.

STARS SAY—

For Saturday, February 26

A PARTICULARLY lively and progressive day is forecast from the predominant lunar and mutual aspects. It is a time for summoning exceptional talents and skills for promoting cherished goals, especially if they have a decided mechanical or engineering objective and are in connection with group or public service of far reaching scope. Finances may be under expansive rule, and should embrace support from influential sources, with promotion and preferments as rewards for merit and sturdy work, even against certain deep oppositions or dubious entanglements. Domestic, social and affectional affiliations should also thrive.

If It Is Your Birthday

Those whose birthday it is may enjoy a year of expansive, productive and fruitful effort, with the energies and faculties under high impetus for outstanding achievements, with probably public honors. Major aims and objectives are happily stressed, with new openings for enduring returns and rewards. The personal social, domestic and love life contribute to general

A Model is Murdered ~ BABS LEE

SYNOPSIS

A mysterious assassin cut short the gay career of Syria Verne, artist's model, just as she was answering the telephone in her penthouse apartment to which she had returned soon after midnight following a quarrel with Pierre Sturgis, art photographer. The police could find no gun, significant fingerprints, nor other evidence of an intruder. The evening of the murder, Syria had met an old friend, Argus Steele, author and former detective, in the Penguin Club where he was dining with Ellen Curtis, a model. Syria left, accompanied by Sturgis. Bill Carstairs, III, playboy introduced his latest blonde, Dorry, to Ellen and Argus. Later, Ellen found Dorry in the ladies' room, weeping because her Bill "was phoning that awful Syria Verne again." Ellen noticed a snubbed revolver in Dorry's open purse. . . . Next morning, Ellen phoned Argus to tell him that Syria had been murdered. Steele Inspector Grange visited Police as the investigation got under way. Later, Argus met Ellen who introduced him to Roger Flagg in the latter's model agency. They are discussing the late Syria Verne.

CHAPTER EIGHT

"She was wearing a diamond ring last night," observed Ellen. "Was she robbed?"

"No," said Argus. "I had a visit from my old friend, Inspector Grange, this morning." Flagg looked interested. He sat forward in his chair. "He told me that the doors and windows were all locked."

Argus continued, "and that Syria was still wearing that ring. He also told me that you, Mr. Flagg, were responsible for phoning the superintendent who found the . . ."

"That's right," Flagg cut in. "Syria had an appointment this morning at 8:30. When she didn't appear at 8:45, I had my secretary phone. I guess the inspector told you the rest."

"Yes, he did," Argus said, "you must find Syria's murderer!"

"Ellen's not like to believe you may be willing to help solve this case. I certainly hope so."

"I'm afraid Ellen's misled you. My sleuthing days are over."

Argus gazed around the office as they talked. There were more "blow-up" pictures of Flagg's famous models arrayed in a line on the wall. Some of them were ecstatically autographed. One, directly opposite Flagg's desk, Argus couldn't miss: "To Roger, the Aladdin who made my dreams come true—Love and kisses." The signature was that of a world-famous movie star.

Then Argus recognized the photograph of a sultry looking brunette, her eyes half-closed, her head thrown back, her full lips parted. It was a picture of Syria Verne. Ellen was in the gallery too, laughing down at him from a corner of the room. Argus was reminded of the once famous Earl Carroll slogan: "Through these portals pass the most beautiful girls in the world."

"The police were here this morning," Flagg said. "They said they had placed her death around midnight."

"Have they any idea at all who did it?" Ellen asked.

"I don't think so," replied Argus. "It's a very curious case," said Flagg meditatively, "as curious as it is tragic." He picked up a photograph from his desk and stared at it. "I was very fond of Syria. She was one of the best workers in the business—ambitious and on her toes every minute. She had just signed a film contract, you know. I remember the first day she came to me for a job. She was thin and pale, but there was something arresting about her."

"Is that a picture of her?" Argus asked.

"Yes," said Flagg. "May I see it?" Flagg handed it to him. It was the same as the enlarged portrait on the wall. Argus turned it over. On the back was the name "Syria Verne" and her measurements. Argus read them with interest: "Bust 36, waist 25, hips 34, height five feet six inches, weight 125." He nodded his approval and handed it back to Flagg.

"Did you know anything about Syria's background?" Argus asked. "I mean who she was—what she'd done?"

Both Ellen and Flagg looked surprised.

"Why, no," said Flagg. "I thought she was just another youngster from the Middle West."

Argus then told them about the girl whose name had once been Lucy Callahan, night club singer at Dancer Martinelli's.

Flagg's black eyes widened. "I'd never heard that," he said. "Dancer—" Ellen emphasized—"where did he ever get that name?"

"I think his pale christened him that because he has a curious way of walking on the balls of his feet, as though he were about to go into a waltz," Argus explained. "I heard once that he was shot in the foot and that it's hard for him to walk naturally."

Ellen said: "There must be some tie-up with the man I saw her talking to—the fellow-faced one I told you about—who sounded as if he were threatening her." She paused. "I remember something else, too. He kept tossing a coin, the way gangsters do in the movies."

"It's quite likely that it was one of Martinelli's men," Argus agreed. He drew out a package of cigarettes and offered one to Ellen and to Flagg. The model-agent refused.

"I don't smoke, thanks. I had a touch of gas during the last war," Argus said.

"Army?" Flagg queried.

"Yes. I'd just graduated from Boston Tech when I joined up," Flagg said.

"Was Syria in your office on Monday?" Argus asked.

"Why, yes. She came in Monday morning to pick up a check from one of the studios. She was booked to work for Pierre Sturgis in the afternoon from two to four."

"I worked with her," Ellen said. "She seemed sort of nervous. She moved in a couple of shots and Pierre had to shoot them over."

gain and happiness in the next year. You may court and marry. Business progresses well, especially if concerned with engineering or the military. Elders will be helpful. Born today a child will evince outstanding mechanical skill and go far in life. Happy marriage and good fortune in many ways are portended.

Hints on Etiquette
Courtesy means a kindly, considerate attitude toward every one you meet—no matter what his or her social position, economic standing, race or creed. Train yourself to be courteous, even under the most trying circumstances, and you need no rules on conduct to guide you.

Sunday's Horoscope
The person celebrating a birthday today has an acquisitive fac-

"I'd heard that she hadn't been too steady in her pictures lately," Flagg said. "In fact, I asked her what was troubling her yesterday morning. I thought maybe she was staying up too many nights and needed a rest. You can't work all day and decorate the hot spots all night if you want to last in this business."

"What about this Sturgis fellow?" Argus asked. "Was he in love with her?"

"I believe so," replied Flagg. "Those things get around. She used to go out with him a great deal and there were rumors to the effect that he was jealous of her. He's lame, you know."

"How did Syria feel about Pierre?" Argus asked.

"One of the models told me that Syria broke off with Pierre a month ago," Ellen volunteered. She looked at Flagg. "You probably heard that, Roger."

"I wouldn't know," Flagg shrugged. "I never mix my models' private lives."

"Meaning you don't mix business with pleasure," Argus said, smiling. "She was with Sturgis last night at the Penguin Club. Ellen and I ran into them."

"Yes," nodded Flagg. "She mentioned that she was going out with him yesterday morning. She seemed upset."

"Unset? In what way?" Argus queried.

"Oh, just uncertain as to whether she should go out with him or not," Flagg replied vaguely.

"Do the police know about Syria's past?" Ellen asked.

"Yes, they do," Argus replied. "It seems that Syria lived in an expensive apartment. How much money would you say she earned a week, Mr. Flagg?"

"I'd say she averaged \$150 a week, sometimes more, sometimes less. We keep a record of how much work each model does and they pay us a ten-per-cent commission. You can go over the files if you'd care to, Mr. Steele."

"How much does Ellen make?" Argus asked.

"Bachelor," Flagg smiled. "Argus raised his eyebrows. "How did you manage to escape in a set-up like this?"

"Perhaps it's a little like the boy who loved candy and then someone gave him a whole candy store to himself. He didn't know where to begin," Flagg stood up. "You'll have to excuse me now," he said. "I have a new applicant to interview. Ellen, why don't you show Mr. Steele around the office? He may want to look through Syria's file. Then come back here. I won some money playing poker last night, so I'd like to take you two to lunch. How about it?"

(To be continued)
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GRAB BAG

One-Minute Test

1. Which is the smallest of the six continents?
2. What is Indian summer known as in England?
3. What state has frontage on four of the Great Lakes?

Words of Wisdom

A loving heart is the truest wisdom.—Dickens.

Today's Horoscope

When you can forget yourself you are very entertaining. You are intellectual but inclined to be over-sensitive, and should cultivate self-confidence. You are careful and considerate, and, although slow in drawing conclusions, are unusually accurate in your judgments. You are also affectionate and loving. Love, domestic and social affairs bring

well-being and happiness. Sidelust under-cover lures or intrigue.

A child born on this day should have much ability and ambition with many opportunities in life for attaining position, prestige and personal happiness.

For Sunday, February 27

SUNDAY'S horoscope is a fairly lively and pleasant one, with literary, artistic and all forms of cultural and educational vocations or avocation claiming major attention. The social, domestic and emotional life may be well favored with probable success and advancement in connection with group, community or public service. There might be a conspicuous preference or favor therein.

Those whose birthday it is may prepare for an outstanding year in which the energies, talents and forces may concentrate on attaining some measure of public, community, or fraternal tokens of appreciation and preferment. The fortunes may also be under progressive and creative stimuli for growth, increased possession, bequests, honors and other symbols of regard and popularity.

A child born on this day should possess much talent, ambition and energy for a useful, pleasant and honored career, perhaps in the public eye.

A sea-going mechanical cow was recently installed on an Army transport, guaranteed to produce 40 gallons of emulsified milk or cream in an hour. Into the interior of the robot cow is poured sweet butter, milk powder and water. Centrifugal force does the rest, producing milk of any desired butterfat content.

Five Years Ago

Edward Schlegel of Ashville won three first premiums out of five entries in the annual Hobby Show at Columbus Memorial hall. Mr. Schlegel worked in wood.

Marvin Steeley, Washington township, was reelected a trustee of the South Central Rural Electric cooperative incorporated at the annual meeting in Lancaster.

About 65 guests were entertained with a variety program at the annual patriotic tea of Daughters of Union Veterans in the Post room, Memorial hall.

10 YEARS AGO

W. Andrew McNeills, organist, of Chillicothe, and Miss Eleanor Snyder, soprano, of Circleville were to be heard in recital February 26 in the First Baptist church, East Broad street, Columbus.

The safe in the coal office of S. C. Grant, South Pickaway street, was blown up by "safe crackers," and a ladies' diamond ring valued at \$75, a portable typewriter valued at \$45 and \$30 in money were stolen.

Miss Ruth K. Beckwith, 39, a former teacher in the Circleville schools, died in Grant hospital, Columbus, after an illness of more than three weeks.

25 YEARS AGO

Because of an expected appearance of 17 year locusts in Ohio, farmers were advised by J. S.

ulty which, if cultivated, will make you very successful. You are restless, but methodical in your habits; fond of responsibility and like to be a leader. You are devoted to your family and have their love and respect. Fortune smiles on you in the coming 12 months, and your affairs prosper. Inheritance is likely, so court and marry, and push business to the utmost. The child born today will have a remarkably eventful, successful and happy life, be exceptionally talented, conscientious, energetic, ambitious and good-natured.

One-Minute Test Answers

1. Australia.
2. St. Luke's summer.
3. Michigan; it has frontage on Lakes Michigan, Superior, Huron and Erie.

Looking Back in Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO

Hine of the zoology and entomology department of Ohio State university, Columbus, not to plant young fruit trees for another year.

John H. Sark, who had been elected county commissioner in November, and Mrs. Mary Fridley Beavers were married February 18 in the Ashville Methodist church parsonage by the Rev. H. H. Wilbur.

N. J. Dunlap of Kingston was badly bruised and shaken up when thrown from a colt he was riding out to his farm.

You're Telling Me!

MAYBE THE red likker shortage has nothing to do with it, but we notice that the favorite for the 1944 Kentucky Derby, to be run in the land where bourbon is (or was) king, is a nag named Pukka Gin.

Zadok Dumkopf thinks, maybe the reason so many candidates are reluctant to toss their hats into the ring now is that this is no time of year to go around bareheaded.

Japanese news agency reports the Germans in "control" of the situation on the Russian front. It will take a bigger lie than that to take the Nips' minds off what happened at Truk.

Inside WASHINGTON

National Capital Going Party Mad, Says Writer

Lavish Entertainment is Present Washington Mode

By HELEN ESSARY
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON—"It was of a famous vintage, that of 1944," wrote Fitz-James O'Brien, "a year when war and wine thrived together."

"It was of a famous vintage, that of 1944," I might write, paraphrasing Fitz-James O'Brien, "a year when war and wine and Washington thrived together."

Add to "Washington" the word "parties." Then you have complete the hilarious mood of the capital of the world this year when more men are fighting and dying than ever fought and died together in the history of civilization, whatever civilization is.

In this capital of the world, you and I, typical Washingtonians, have indeed gone mad with party giving. And I am ashamed of all of us as I write this.

Parties and Parties and More Parties! Within the last few months I have participated in more lavish entertaining than at any time during my years of living in Washington.

"This is not a season when people decline," the manager of a country club told me the other day when I, myself, was planning a luncheon. "You had better count on acceptances from everybody you invite."

"This is wartime," he added, "and people go mad for fun and food and drink during a war. I remember how they behaved during the last war. They gave

—: Social Happenings-Personals-News of Interest to Women :—:

Daughters of Veterans Hold Annual Tea Party

Lincoln Subject
Of Address By
R. W. Davis

Daughters of Union Veterans, Tent 101, entertained Friday at its annual patriotic tea, members and guests gathering in the Post room, Memorial hall for the delightful affair. Ray W. Davis was guest speaker, holding the close attention of the audience with his informative address on "Lincoln."

Mr. Davis stressed the fact that Lincoln's humility, kindness and his great soul made him live in the hearts of people throughout the world and marked him as the outstanding American. He read part of an autobiography prepared by Lincoln for a newsmen shortly before his election as president of the United States, and excerpts from letters and some of his famous speeches which he mentioned as the finest examples of English ever written.

Mrs. Dudley Carpenter sang two lovely selections, "Sing a While Longer" by O'Hara, and "Love's Garden of Roses," by Haydn Wood. Miss Anna Schleyer playing her piano accompaniments. Mrs. Carroll Morgan played two popular patriotic numbers and, with her mother, Mrs. James Pierce as accompanist, sang "God Bless America" as the closing selection of the program. Mrs. Pierce played several piano numbers during the interval preceding the planned entertainment.

Mrs. Hattie M. Pickens, president of the tent, welcomed the guests in a pleasing talk and the program numbers were presented by Mrs. C. O. Kerna, patriotic instructor of the organization. W. M. Reid, who was to have given the talk on "Washington," was unable to be present.

Tea was served from a table attractively arranged with the thought of the coming Spring season. A bowl of daffodils, snapdragons and pussy willows centered the table that had a tracery of green vines over the lace cloth. Miss Laura Mader presided at the silver tea service and Mrs. Irene Newton served the fine assortment of cookies. Both were in Colonial dress as were several others of the hostesses. Yellow candles were used in the decorations of the hall that had many American flags in standards in the background.

Group singing of "America" and the Pledge of Allegiance featured the formal opening of the patriotic social event. Mrs. E. L. Tolbert, a member of the Circleville tent, was presented to the group as junior vice president of the state department, D. U. V.

Gearhart-Dresbach Wedding

Miss Mary Ann Dresbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carson Dresbach of Kingston, and Ensign Robert Terry Gearhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Z. Gearhart of that community also, were married at a lovely wedding service Thursday at 3:30 p. m. in the Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian church. The Rev. L. V. Bauguess read the double ring ceremony.

Seven-branch candelabra with white cathedral tapers illuminated the altar that was banked with palms, ferns and pedestal baskets of white gladioli and sweet peas. Mrs. Dwight Famulener played a program of piano music during the short interval preceding the service, and the wedding march from Lohengrin as the bridal party entered the church. Glenn Uhl sang "O Promise Me" and "At Dawning" while the service was read.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white starched marquisette with satin tulip applique. Fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, long, bell sleeves and fitted bodice, it had a full gathered skirt that ended in a short train. She wore a duchess cap of similar material and her only jewelry was a strand of pearls, the gift of the bridegroom. A cluster of roses and sweet peas was on the cover of the white prayer book carried by the bride.

Ensign Gearhart wore the dress uniform of blue.

Miss Jean Dresbach wore a marquisette gown of pink as she served as maid of honor for her sister. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow jonquils and white sweet peas and had matching flowers in her hair. John Gearhart, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man, and Corliss Immell seated the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Dresbach were hosts at a reception at the Fox Farm following the ceremony. Bouquets of carnations and sweet peas and candles, all white, with huckleberry foliage decorated the rooms. At the bride's table the three-tier wedding cake, encircled with a garland of fern and sweet peas, was guarded by crystal candelabra with white tapers. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. A. D. Ellis, Mrs. Robert Brundage, Mrs. G. W. McGinnis, Mrs. J. P. Gardner and Mrs. E. W. Freshour.

Mrs. Dresbach received in a two-piece petit-point suit with matching accessories Mrs. Gear-

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY
MONDAY CLUB, THE CLUB room, Memorial hall, Monday at 8 p. m.
AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY, Post room, Memorial hall, Monday at 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
EMMETT'S CHAPEL W.S.C.S., home Mrs. John Miller, Pickaway township, Wednesday at 2 p. m.
SCIO TO GRANGE, COMMERCIAL Point school, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
PAST CHIEF'S CLUB, MRS. Marion's party home, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
THURSDAY
DEERCREEK GARDEN CLUB, Williamsport parish house, Thursday at 6:30 p. m.
W. S. C. S., METHODIST church, Thursday at 2 p. m.

hart wore a navy crepe dress with like accessories. Their corsages were of Tailsman roses.

Ensign Gearhart and his bride left immediately for Atlanta, Ga., where he is stationed for training. For traveling, Mrs. Gearhart wore an aqua suit with a rose top coat and brown accessories and the nosegay of flowers that had topped her prayer book.

After her graduation from Kingston high school, the former Miss Dresbach attended Ohio Wesleyan university where she became a member of Delta Gamma sorority. The bridegroom, also a graduate of Kingston high school, entered the U. S. Naval Reserve in 1942 and received his commission at Pensacola, Florida.

W. C. T. U.

Miss Mary Harpster of Kingston, president of the Pickaway county W. C. T. U., was a special guest Friday at the meeting of Circleville union at the home of Mrs. J. O. Eagleson, North Pickaway street. She discussed the work of the organization after the evening business meeting.

The afternoon was passed in sewing carpet rags for the Soldiers and Sailors Home at Dayton. A carry-in supper was much enjoyed.

Birthday Party

Mrs. Karl Manson of Logan street entertained Friday at a birthday party from 4 until 6 p. m. in honor of her son, Karl, who was celebrating his sixth anniversary. Games were played during the affair, prizes being won by Joe and Philip Manson.

Lunch was served at a table attractively arranged with suitable party appointments.

Present were Karl, Joe and Philip Manson, Larry Funk, Walter Redmond, Bud and Jay Curry, Richard and Robert Brown, Don Gaines, Harold McClaren, Lewis McClaren, Jr., Pauline Starkey and Barbara Ann Manson.

Saturday Wedding

Circleville friends of Miss Patricia Lou Enderlin of Chillicothe will be interested to hear that she is to be married to Private First Class Richard P. Hill Saturday in the First Presbyterian church of Chillicothe. The open church wedding will be at 3 p. m., the double ring ceremony to be solemnized by the Rev. Harold B. Weil. Vocal music by Miss Lillian Snyder will be accompanied at the organ by W. Andrew McNellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Enderlin, Fairway avenue, will entertain at a reception at the Town House after the marriage.

Missionary Class Meets

Young People's Missionary class met Friday at the home of Mrs. Stella Styers, 213 Town street, with 10 present for the evening. The Scripture lesson from John 1 was read and discussed by the Rev. Arthur Cupp. Mrs. Styers served light refreshments at the close of the evening.

Fortieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fetherolf of near Stoutsville observed their fortieth wedding anniversary Friday and were honored at a dinner by Miss Rose Leist, sister of Mrs. Fetherolf. Miss Leist, whose home is in Stoutsville, entertained in addition to the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Warner and Melvin Warner of Circleville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drake, the Rev. Harold Dutt, Miss Ora Koehner and Mrs. Clara Hopper of Stoutsville.

St. Patrick's Day Dance

Going all out in preparations for a gala evening and dance for St. Patrick's Day, the Circleville Junior Chamber of Commerce has engaged Wells Ross of Cincinnati and his orchestra to play for the event that is to be in Memorial hall. The dance is being sponsored by the organization to assist in the Youth Canteen. The group has pledged \$100 for this project or the proceeds of the dance, which ever amounts to the most.

The Wells Ross orchestra made many friends last Summer at the

At J. C. C. Dance



ABOVE is shown Wells Ross, who leads his widely known Cincinnati dance band into the Memorial Hall March 17 to play for the Junior Chamber of Commerce Youth Canteen benefit hop. The dance will follow the St. Patrick's Day theme.

Pier Ball room, Buckeye Lake, and appeared December 4 at the Variety Club Canteen at the Cincinnati auditorium. The orchestra has splendid equipment, including a public address system, and their dance library is arranged to appeal to young and old.

Maxwell Lee is serving as general chairman of the affair and Harry Graef is chairman of the decorating committee that is working out an arrangement appropriate for the holiday event.

Elliott White is in charge of publicity and ticket sales.

Evangelical Class

Young Ladies' class of the Calvary Evangelical church met at the home of Mrs. Walter Brown, West Main street, for the regular February session. Miss Norma Coffland was assisting hostess.

Devotions and the business session were in charge of Mrs. Joe Brink, president. The interesting program was arranged by Miss Coffland and Miss Miriam Turner. Nineteen members were present.

Five Points Auxiliary

The Auxiliary of the Five Points Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Charles Hosler for the February session. Twenty-three members and two visitors were present.

After the business hour led by Mrs. Hosler, Mrs. Betty Long and the Rev. S. M. Root had charge of the devotionals. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hosler, assisted by Mrs. Nora Bowshier and Mrs. Mary Lady.

Deercreek Garden Club

Deercreek Garden club will have its regular meeting Thursday at 6:30 p. m. in the Williamsport parish house. A covered dish supper will precede the meeting at which Leslie Pontus of West High street will speak on the topic, "Flower Pictures." Mrs. Andrew Schwarz is chairman for the evening.

W. S. C. S.

The Woman's Society for Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet in the church parlor Thursday, March 2, at 2 p. m. The program will be in charge of Circle 2, Mrs. Edgar Carmean, chairman.

Scoto Grange

Scoto grange will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in Commercial Point school auditorium.

Persons

Mrs. Carl Anderson of Saltcreek township was a Circleville shopper Friday.

Mrs. William Snyder of Five Points was a Friday visitor in Circleville.

Miss Marie L. Hamilton of West High street is spending the week end in Cincinnati with friends. She will be honored at a luncheon and several informal parties.

Mrs. Harry Brown of Ashville was a Friday visitor of her sister, Mrs. James Stout, of East Franklin street.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas of East Ringgold were Friday business visitors in Circleville.

Mrs. John Dunlap, Jr. of near Williamsport was a Friday shopping visitor in Circleville.

Mrs. Neil Morris of Pickaway township was a Circleville shopper Friday.

Mrs. Lyle Davis and Miss Helen M. Kern of Jackson township were Friday shopping visitors in Circleville.

Mrs. John Huston of near Mt Sterling was a Circleville business visitor Friday.

Police have used X-rays to search jewel thieves. Diamond swallows among miners employed in South African diamond fields have been detected by the same means.

Ministers Conducting Lent Rites

Series Of Sermons To Be Held During Next Few Weeks

Several Circleville churches are announcing complete plans for Lenten season, listing sermon subjects and other features of their programs.

Following are announcements for some of the congregations:

Trinity Lutheran

Sermon subject by the Rev. G. L. Troutman for the second Sunday in Lent will be "Keeping Our Footing in Perilous Times". The mid-week Wednesday evening Lenten service will be at 7:30, the subject being "Through the Crucible of Calvary Mary Magdalene Emerges With Confidence". Special Lenten music will be sung by the choir directed by Carl Leist.

Following Lenten service the first in a series of lectures on the doctrines and practices of the Lutheran church will be given in the church auditorium. Members and prospective members are invited.

Following is the complete list of dates and themes for Lenten services under the general theme of "The Crucible of Calvary":

March 1: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Mary Magdalene Emerges With Confidence."

March 8: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Judas Emerges Disastrously."

March 15: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Peter Emerges With Firmness."

March 22: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Joseph of Arimathea Emerges With Courage."

March 29: "Junior choir Lenten cantata."

April 2: Palm Sunday confirmation service.

April 4: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Mary Mother of Jesus Emerges with Devotion."

April 5: Senior choir Lenten cantata.

April 6: Maunday: Thursday Communion service, "Through the Crucible of Calvary the Christian Emerges With Salvation."

April 7: Traditional Good Friday service, 2 p. m.; "Through the Crucible of Calvary Christ Dies an Ignominious Death."

April 7: Good Friday evening service: "Through the Crucible of Calvary The Repentant Sinner Emerges Justified."

April 9: Easter Sunday: "Through the Crucible of Calvary Christ Arose Triumphantly."

All week day Lenten services begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Methodist

The Rev. Clarence Swearingen, pastor of the Methodist church, is announcing a series of five Lenten sermons for the Sunday morning services leading up to Palm Sunday. His general theme will be "What Can Christ Offer Us Now?"

The sermon topics and the order in which they will be given are as follows:

February 27: "Life Under Moral Compulsion"

March 5: "The Victory of High Resolve"

March 12: "The Great Refusal"

March 19: "The Hell of Loneliness"

March 26: "The Most Awful Cross"

Mid-week Lenten services each Wednesday will begin at 6:30 with a covered dish supper. These fellowship suppers will prove helpful and inspiring to the whole family. A short devotional service including a Lenten talk will be given at the table following the supper. The W. S. C. S. will have charge of table arrangements.

For the first Sunday in Lent the pastor will preach the first of his series of topics on the season.

Music will include a solo by Glen Geib, "Crossing the Bar," by Tenyson. Miss Carolyn Sites will direct the choir and Hunter Chambers will be at the organ.

A nursery is provided for those who wish to leave their babies or small children during the worship services. Mrs. E. L. Montgomery will be in charge.

United Brethren

Special Lenten midweek services will be held Wednesday night at

Heroic Pastor



ANOTHER heroic pastor in Uncle Sam's uniform is Stephen W. Kane of Osceola, Iowa. He has been awarded the Silver Star for his services in the interest of Uncle Sam's troops.

Church Briefs

The Rev. J. O. Miller of Pilgrim church will preach Sunday morning on "Excerpts from the Sermon on the Mount" and in the evening on "Christ Suffering in the Garden of Gethsemane."

Lutheran meetings next week will include: Tuesday, church council in parish house, 7:30; Wednesday, adult instruction class, 8:30; Thursday, Brotherhood, 7:30; Thursday, Junior choir, 7 p. m.; Friday, senior choir 7:30 p. m.; Friday, teachers' meeting, 6:45; Sunday, junior catechetical class, 9:15.

United Brethren Ladies' Aid will have a Silver tea Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the community house. The children's instruction class will meet Wednesday at 4:15; The Women's Missionary Society will meet Thursday, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Frank Hawkes, East Franklin street.

Towards a goal of 250 new Presbyterian church hymnals, over 150 already been subscribed and promised. The Westminster Bible Class of the Presbyterian church is sponsoring the project.

The Women's Class of the Presbyterian church will meet March 3, Friday, at the home of Mrs. Ida Lerch.

The Reading Circle of the Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon, February 29, two o'clock, at the home of Miss Sadie Brunner.

LAURELVILLE

Mrs. Mary Nan Nichols of Columbus was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox.

Mrs. Walter Wagner of Lakewood is spending a few days with her father, Wayne Armstrong.

Mrs. George Fetherolf of Lancaster spent Monday until Thursday with relatives and friends in Laurelville.

Jim Canfield of Columbus was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Plyly Tatman.

Statistics indicate that burglars and street robbers are more active in the Fall than at any other time of the year, the reason being unknown.

7:30. The pastor will use as his subject "Back Again".

Sermon subjects for Sunday were announced by the Rev. J. E. Huston as: morning, "Thirsting for Old Wells"; and "Walking With God".

Presbyterian

"Why Lent?" is the subject of Rev. Carl L. Kennedy's sermon for the first Sunday in the Lenten season. Mrs. Clark Will lead the Presbyterian choir in an arrangement of the beloved hymn, "O Jesus, I Have Promised."

At the organ console, beginning at ten-thirty, Miss Abbe Mills Clarke will play the "Agnus Dei" by Bizet and the "Andante" from Tchaikowski's "Fifth Symphony" as her organ meditation. The offertory will be an arrangement of "Deep River" by Rogers, and the Postlude, "Postlude" by Grey.

CHURCH NOTICES

United Brethren
Rev. J. E. Huston, pastor
Sunday school, 9:15; Carroll Morgan, superintendent; worship, 10:30; sermon, 7:30 p. m., evangelistic service.

Trinity Lutheran
Rev. G. L. Troutman, pastor
Sunday school, 9 a. m.; Ned H. Dresbach, superintendent adult division; Mrs. Galen Mowery, superintendent primary department; worship, 10:15 a. m.; Sunday school and church worship, Christ church, Lick Run, 2 p. m.; evening worship, 7.

Pilgrim Church
Rev. James O. Miller, pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:30; evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Church of the Nazarene

Rev. C. A. Way, pastor
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m.; young people's service, 7 a. m.; convoy of prayer, 7:45 a. m.; evening worship, 7:30.

Church of Christ in Christian Union

Rev. Ross W. Hayslip, pastor
9:30 a. m., church school; 10:30, worship service; 6:30 p. m., young peoples' service; 7 p. m., junior church service; 7:30 p. m., evangelistic service; 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, evening prayer service.

Christian Science Society

216 South Court Street
11 a. m. Sunday, lesson sermon; 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, testimony meeting. An invitation to attend these meetings and to visit the Reading Room, which is open daily, is extended to all.

Calvary Evangelical

Rev. B. F. Borcoman, pastor
Sunday school, 9 a. m.; C. O. Leist, superintendent; worship, 10 a. m.; Young People's service, 6:30; evangelistic service, 7 p. m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Church of the Brethren

Rev. Harold Myers, pastor
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Doyle Cupp, superintendent; worship, 10:30 a. m.; prayer service, 7 p. m.; song service, 7:30; preaching, 8; prayer service Wednesday evening, 7:30.

St. Joseph's Catholic

Rev. Fr. Edward Reidy, pastor
Sunday masses: Low at 8 a. m.; high at 10 a. m.; week day at 7:30 a. m.

First Methodist Church

Clarence Swearingen, pastor
Church school, 9:15 a. m., W. E. Hilyard, superintendent; 10:30 a. m., worship; 6:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship, Glen McCoy, president.

St. Paul A. M. E.

Rev. M. H. Johnson, pastor
Sunday school, 9 a. m.; Rosta May Davis, secretary; Philip Holmes, superintendent; preaching, 10 a. m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

St. Philip's Episcopal

Rev. L. C. Sherburne, rector
9:15 a. m., church school; 10:30 a. m., prayer and sermon; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

First Presbyterian Church

Rev. Carl Kennedy, pastor
9:30 a. m., Sunday school, Thomas Armstrong, superintendent; 10:30 a. m., worship.

Second Baptist Church

Rev. Harold Wingo, pastor
9:30 a. m., Sunday school; Robert Byrd, superintendent; Joan Byrd, secretary; Leota Sidney, clerk; 10:45 a. m., worship; 3 p. m., worship; 6:30 p. m., B. Y. P. U.

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No. 14410
Estate of Etta M. Kendall, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that Cary Kendall of Route 3, Circleville, Ohio, has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Etta M. Kendall, deceased, late of Pickaway County, Ohio.
Dated this 18th day of February, 1944.
LEWEL B. WELDON
Probate Judge of said County.
Feb. 19, 26, March 4

WANTED—Ride to Timkins, middle truck. Phone 1385.

Public Sales

No charge for publication of sales under this heading where regular advertising has been ordered in The Herald. Set your date early and get the benefit of this extra publication.

MONDAY, FEB. 28

On the Hulsa farm, one-fourth mile west of Williamsport, ten miles west of Circleville and eight miles east of New Holland, on Rt. 22, beginning at 10:30. Lewis Chester, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

TUESDAY, FEB. 29

At farm four and one-half miles southeast of Kingston, one-half mile north of Route 180, beginning at 10 a. m. Arthur Hickie, Ralph Metzger, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

On the Clark's Run road, four miles southeast of Mt. Sterling, three miles west of Five Points and four miles northwest of Waterloo, beginning at 12 o'clock. Dwight Grimsley, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

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EX-COAL MINER APPEARS TOUGH IN GARDEN TILT

NEW YORK, Feb. 26—Out of a battle of 4-Pers, with a crooner rooting for one and a bride of a few hours pulling for the other has emerged Joe Baksi as a potential heavyweight contender of the future. Say, in about two years, or whenever the war is over and the new gold rush in sports starts under the impetus of athletes returning to their peacetime endeavors.

Baksi, a 22-year-old ex-coal miner from Kumpfont, Pa., whaled Tami Mauriello soundly last night. He took Mauriello's best punches, dropped Mauriello once for a nine-count on one knee, and was fighting as strong at the finish as he was when he started out 10 rounds earlier as a 2 to 1 underdog.

It was a good bruising, body-ripping, head-jolting heavyweight fight, the first such between the few fellows in Madison Square Garden since last November, and at the finish Baksi had his own stout chin, his gameness against a more experienced opponent and fine physical condition to thank for the second straight major upset in the local ring.

Mauriello is a story in himself in connection with this fight. Among other things he recently sold part of his contract to Frankie (the Voice) Sinatra, reportedly to help square obligations that plague him. He had other worries too going into the ring, worries, among others, over his own knowledge of poor physical condition which was obvious from his flabbiness. He always looks soft, but this time took the odor of beer joints into the ring with him, and, as a result, lacked his customary zeal.

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M'CLAIN WINNER IN S. C. O. LEAGUE

Greenfield Gains Edge Of Seven Points Over Wilmington Team

Greenfield McClain won the South Central Ohio league championship Friday night by turning back Wilmington 45 to 38. McClain finished the league season with only one reversal, that at the hands of Wilmington on the Hurricane's court two weeks ago.

Wilmington and Circleville tied for second position, each with three losses. Wilmington lost to the Red and Black, to Hillsboro and to McClain, while the Tigers dropped two decisions to Greenfield and one to Wilmington, the latter the disputed 50-48 game which reverted back to the first overtime period under state athletic board decree, thus going to Wilmington. An argument over the number of points needed to win an overtime game was decided in Wilmington's favor.

Washington C. H., beaten twice by Circleville, finished in fourth place, and the fifth position went to Hillsboro, its only victory in eight league games being over Wilmington in the biggest upset of the season.

Final standing follows:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Greenfield	7	1	.875
Circleville	5	3	.625
Wilmington	5	3	.625
Washington C. H.	2	6	.250
Hillsboro	1	7	.125

BUCKEYES LOSE OVERTIME TILT BY 61-49 TOTAL

By International News Service
Northwestern's chances for a share of the Western Conference basketball championship were ended today as the result of a 50 to 47 trimming handed them in the Chicago stadium last night by the Illinois quintet.

It was the third defeat in nine conference games for the Northwestern Wildcats, two of which were suffered after the loss of their star captain and forward, Otto Graham, to the navy.

In the only other conference game of the evening, the Wisconsin Badgers won their eighth league victory by turning back the Minnesota Gophers 50 to 33 in a game at Madison.

Other Big Ten teams were idle with the exception of Ohio State's Buckeyes who lost an overtime game to the De Paul team of Chicago 61 to 49.

Northwestern had a mathematical chance to share the basketball title with Ohio State, but it depended on its winning its remaining four games. Last night's engagement saw the lead change six times, with the Purple holding a five point advantage at one time during the second half.

Wisconsin had little trouble beating the visiting Gophers, Center Ray Patterson scoring nine goals and four free throws of his teams 50 points. The victory put Wisconsin in fourth place in the standings with eight wins and three defeats.

Ohio State, with ten wins and two defeats, has completed its conference schedule. Purdue and Iowa with eight victories and two losses have a chance to tie the Bucks for the championship.

Ohio State was a slight favorite to beat its non-conference opponent in Chicago stadium last night but lost because De Paul's towering center, George Mikan, was less handicapped with an injured right ankle than expected.

Mikan scored 15 points during the regulation game time, which ended 47 to 47, then added three more goals and two free throws for a game total of 23 points.

By their victory the De Paul Blue Demons probably earned a bid to the NCAA tournament in New York next month. Their record to date is 18 wins against only three losses.

CAGE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.	O. P.
xOhio State	10	2	.833	702 549
Purdue	8	2	.800	524 405
Iowa	8	2	.800	518 432
Wisconsin	8	3	.727	529 443
Northwestern	6	3	.666	474 356
xMichigan	5	2	.714	572 375
Illinois	2	7	.286	485 474
Minnesota	1	8	.111	398 419
Indiana	1	10	.091	471 625
Chicago	0	6	.000	195 476

xDenotes completed schedule.
LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS
xIllinois 50; Northwestern 47.
xIowa 50; Minnesota 33.
xDePaul 61; Ohio State 49 (overtime).

REMAINING CONTESTS TONIGHT

Northwestern at Purdue.
Chicago at Minnesota.
xHunker Hill at Indiana.
xIowa at Notre Dame.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

Northwestern at Iowa.
Purdue at Indiana.
Wisconsin at Chicago.
Minnesota at Illinois.
xDenotes non-conference contest.

MAKE NEWS IN YANK CAMP

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Ashville, Atlanta Meet Tonight In Finals Of County Court Tourney

The dream game which Pickaway county basketball fans have been awaiting all season will be played starting at 9 o'clock Saturday night in the Jackson township gymnasium.

It will pit Ashville's Bronks against Atlanta's Raiders, and when the smoke of battle lifts over the hardwood court, the several hundreds who are able to crowd into the auditorium will know they have seen some action.

Both teams made their way into the finals by winning Friday's semifinals. Ashville took Pickaway 46-29 after leading by only three points as the final period started. The Pickaway boys just gave out, the Bronks pulling away in the last period as they have against every opponent this year. Perry won from Walnut 43-23, leading all the way.

The Atlanta boys were "on," and Walnut was "off." The lads from Walnut were not able to hit the hoop from action until 12 minutes after play started.

The first period saw Atlanta with a 9-1 lead and at the half the advantage was 17-7. Perry moved ahead 31-11 at the three quarter pole.

Bill Hobbie with 17 points, Orinhood with 11 and Red Hobbie with 10 paced the winners.

Pontius came up with nine points for Walnut, while Heath and Bell each hit for six.

Pickaway came close to upsetting the Ashville boys, but just couldn't stand the terrific pace set up by the Bronks. Illness cut down efficiency of several Pirates while personal fouls took a heavy toll on the smooth-playing lads from Harrison township.

Ashville was ahead 9-7 at the quarter, but was deadlocked 19-19 at the half. In the third period Ashville moved ahead 30 to 27, with Pickaway beginning to weaken. The last quarter turned into a rout with Ashville getting 16 points against two.

Ashville lost Eccard, Messick, Wilson and Pettibone by the personal foul route, while McGinnis was waved out for Pickaway.

Most of Ashville's scoring was done by Gregg with 12 and Hennis with 10. Messick coming up with eight.

McAfee's 10 paced the Pirates. Ashville takes a brilliant record into the finals tonight, 19 games without a loss, while Atlanta has only one blemish against it, the sudden death defeat at Pickaway.

As in each of the first two seasons, ticket sales were stopped Friday night when the crowd became overflowed again.

Perry—43 G F
Orinhood, f 4 3
Hobbie, f 7 1
N. Bell, f 3 2
A. Bell, f 1 0
George, g 2 0
Bumkner, g 0 0
R. Hobbie, g 4 2
Pontius, g 2 3
Stinson, g 0 1
Peters, f 1 0
Gerhardt, g 0 1
Bell, f 1 0
Hamman, g 0 0
Hoover, g 1 0

Walnut—23 G F
Heath, f 3 2
N. Bell, f 1 0
Bumkner, g 0 0
Warner, g 0 0
McAfee, g 4 4
McGinnis, g 1 0
Dunkle, g 1 0
Fouch, g 1 0
Pettibone, g 1 0

Officials: Rose and Buchanan.

SEEING THINGS

BELGRADE, Neb. — When a drain-pipe backed up, Mrs. Adelia Ward called a plumber. He thought he was seeing things when he extracted 60 hibernating snakes from the pipe.

TIGER QUINTET WHIPS LONDON BY 67-37 SCORE

Leon Sims Connects For 33 Points In Finale Of Regular Season

Circleville Tigers closed their pre-tourney cage season Friday evening by running up a 67 to 37 victory over London. The game was played in the C. A. C. gym. The Red and Black won from London earlier in the season, but not nearly so easily as in Friday's tilt. Leon Sims piled up 33 points against the hard-fighting Madison county lads.

The game was exceedingly rough.

Pairings for Central district class A tournament competition were being made Saturday in Delaware, the Tigers hoping for a fair break which might put them with an opponent against whom they might have a chance. Newark is the team most feared in the central district.

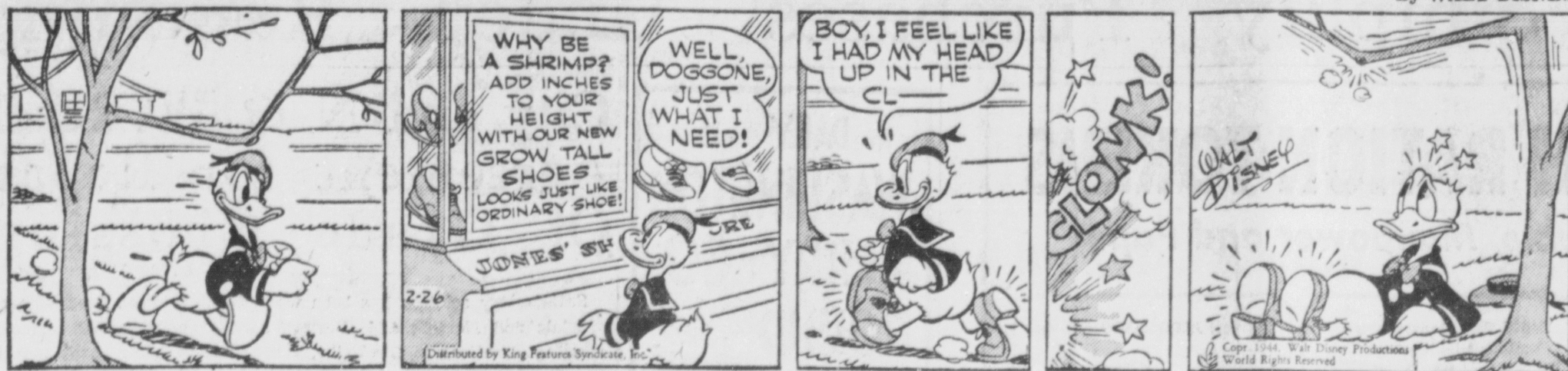
The Tigers grabbed a 14-8 lead at the quarter and went ahead 32-19 at halftime. At the end of the third period the score was 46 to 27.

Red and Black reserves knocked off a preliminary 25 to 24, weathering a late London rush which almost knotted the count.

Lineups:

	G	F	M	P	T
Sims, f	14	5	1	1	32
Heath, f	4	0	0	2	8
Skinner, f	0	0	0	0	0
Dade, c	2	1	5	3	5
Morgan, c	0	0	0	1	0
Anderson, g	5	3	1	4	13
Mader, g-f	3	1	1	2	7
Lovenshimer, g	0	1	0	3	1
Valentine, g	0	0	1	3	0
McCoy, g	0	0	0	0	0
Shaw, g	0	0	0	0	0

DONALD DUCK



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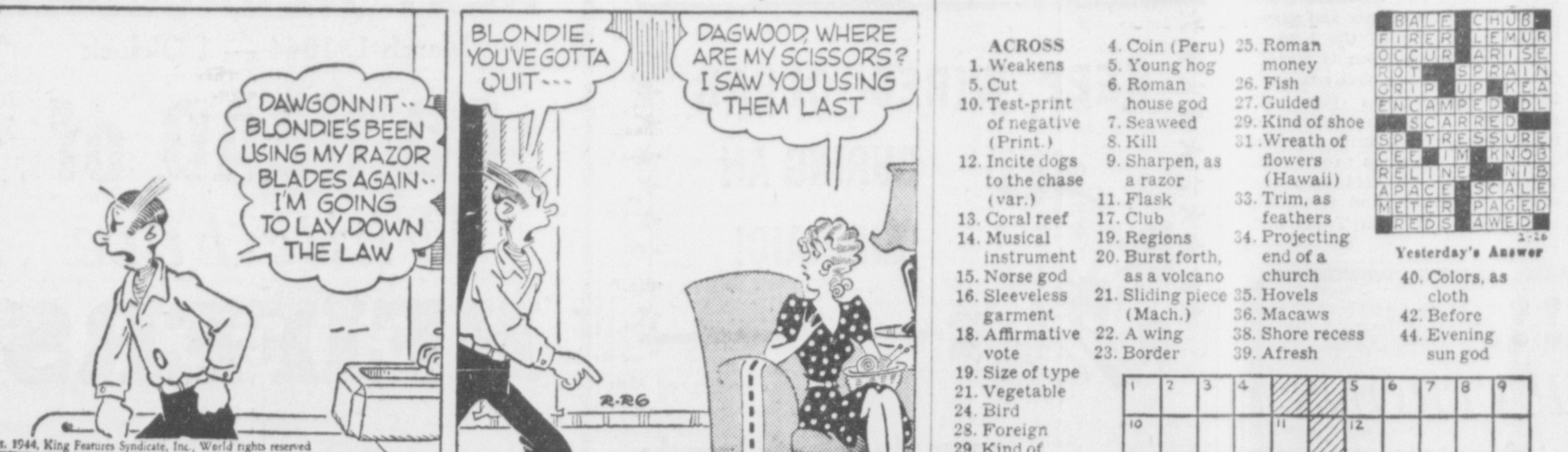
ETTA KETT



MUGGS McGINNIS



BLONDIE



CHIC YOUNG



By WALT DISNEY

ROOM AND BOARD

By GENE AHERN



On The Air

SATURDAY
 6:00 Don Ameche, WING.
 6:30 Thanks to the Yanks, WBNS.
 7:00 Groucho Marx, WBNS.
 7:30 Roy Porter, WING.
 7:50 Inner Sanctum Mystery, WJR.
 8:00 Frank Sinatra, WBNS.
 8:30 Can You Top This?, WLW.
 9:00 Barry Wood, WLW.
 9:30 John W. Vandercok, WING.
 10:00 Grand Ol Opry, WTAM.
 10:30 Mr. Smith Goes to Town, WWJ.

SUNDAY

Morning
 8:00 News of the World, WLW.
 9:00 Detroit Bible Class, WHKC.
 9:30 Wings over Jordan, WBNS.
 10:00 Southernaires, WLW.
 10:30 Soldiers of Production, WCOL.
 11:00 Ray D. Smith, WHKC.
 11:30 Weekly War Journal, WCOL.
 12:00 Salt Lake City Tabernacle, WJR.
Afternoon
 12:30 Radio Tabernacle, WLW.
 1:00 University of Chicago Roundtable, WSAM.
 1:30 America's College Unlabeled, WBNS.
 2:00 Those We Love, WTAM.
 2:30 Washington Reports on Porting, WLW.
 3:00 Dixie, WHKC.
 3:30 Army Hour, WLW.
 4:00 Al Pearce's Gang, WCOL.
 4:30 Andre Kostelanetz, WBNS.
 5:00 Gladys Swarthout, WBNS.
 5:30 John Kandercock, WING.
 6:00 The Shadow, WHKC.
 6:30 Silver Theater, WBNS.
 7:00 Murder Clinic, WHKC.
 7:30 Jim Ameye, WCOL.
Evening
 8:00 Jerry Lester, Ray Sinatra, WJR.
 8:30 Benny, WLW.
 9:00 Quiz Kids, WING.
 9:30 Alex Dreier, WLW.
 10:00 The People, WBNS.
 10:30 Stars and Stripes, WBNS.
 11:00 Edgar Bergen, WLW.
 11:30 Bob Trout, WLW.
 12:00 Cassell, WBNS.
 12:30 Roy Porter, WING.
 1:00 Crime Doctor, WBNS.
 1:30 One Man's Family, WING.
 2:00 Dorothy Kirtley, WING.
 2:30 Walter Winchell, WLW.
 3:00 Conrad Thibault, WTAM.
 3:30 James Melton, WBNS.
 4:00 Frank Munn, WTAM.
 4:30 Hour of Charm, WLW.
 5:00 Good Will Hour, WBNS.
 5:30 Bob Crosby, WLW.
 6:00 Thin Man, WBNS.
 6:30 New Programs, WBNS-WLW.

MONDAY

Morning
 8:00 Don McNeal, Breakfast Club, WING.
 8:30 Stan Dixon, News, WHKC.
Afternoon
 12:00 Sydney Monell, WHKC.
 1:00 H. R. Baughman, WCOL.
 1:30 Vincent Lopez, WOSU.
 2:00 Cedric Belfrage, WHKC.
 2:30 Morton Downey, WCOL.
 3:00 Fletcher Wiley, Phil Regan, WBNS.
 3:30 Dr. J. Q. Wilson, WADC.
 4:00 Lorenzo Jones, WLW.
 4:30 Quincy Howe, News, CBS.
Evening
 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr., WHKC.
 6:30 Fred Waring, WLW.
 7:00 John Vandercok, WTAM.
 7:30 Arthur Love, WJR.
 8:00 Vox Pop, WJR.
 8:30 Cavalcade of America, WLW.
 9:00 Gay Nineties, WBNS.
 9:30 Don Vorhees, WLW.
 10:00 Radio Theatre, WBNS.
 10:30 Theatre, WHKC.
 11:00 Josephine Antoinette, WLW.
 11:30 Raymond Gram Swing, WING.
 12:00 Guy Lombardo, WPAR4450.
 12:30 Information, Please, WLW.
 1:00 News Reports, WLW-WBNS.

SOTHERN JOINS BENNY

Glamor Girl Ann Sothern joins Jack Benny when the comic plays the horse-picking hobbyist in "Three Men on a Horse." John Cecil Holm's farce of horse-players and greeting card verses with the "Screen Guild Players" on Monday at 9 p. m. over WBNS. Sam Levene of the original Broadway cast, will be heard as Patsy, chief of the three men, the role he created.

GEORGIA GIBBS

It's a daily double on the gees for this week for "The Million Dollar Band" when Barry Wood presents Georgia Gibbs and George Auld over NBC Saturday at 9 p. m. Barry is definitely pitching a double header with Georgia and Auld that will turn into a solid hit game with no errors. Drive and imagination are the solid qualities which distinguish Georgia Auld as a band leader, and his tenor sax solos are hailed by critics and dance enthusiasts for their tremendous power and masterful technique. And Georgia Gibbs—termed the "bluetiful" singer—has had audiences at the Strand Theatre in New York standing up in the aisles and

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay

"The Authority on Authorities"

WHICH IS MORE LIKELY? BETWEEN TWO propositions, which do you consider the more likely? One is that a not-vulnerable player had a suit of more than six cards in length when he made an overall at the level of one. The other is that the six outstanding cards of a suit will be evenly divided, with three in the hand of each opponent. We all know the odds are heavily against such a split of a suit. And calm reflection in his memory should tell any declarer that most overcalls, especially when not vulnerable, are on suits of six cards or less rather than seven cards or more.

than one which is a probable threat.

When West led the club 4, the declarer reckoned he might as well take a chance that West, a freakish leader, was underleading the ace against a slam—first unlikely fear—and used the K, which he killed. South ruffed the club 7 return, saw that he had to reach the dummy for trump finesse, so led the heart Q and overtook with the K. The spade Q finesse now worked, so he led the heart 5 to the A to finesse the spade J. The spade A then dropped the K. The diamond 2 was ruffed by the spade 7 and the heart 3 led, a diamond being tossed. If it had dropped the remaining two hearts, then the 9 and 3 would have furnished discards of the last two diamonds, but it didn't drop them. So now he had to lose two diamonds and was down two.

Success of that play depended on the heart split. The contract could have been made by ruffing a diamond on the third trick for a spade finesse, ruffing a second one for a second finesse, dropping the last trump and playing the hearts naturally without overruffing the Q. But he said that risked an over-ruff of the second diamond lead, since West bid them. This could have been possible only if West had seven diamonds.

Your Week-End Lesson

Can you think of any situation in which a declarer should deliberately lead to a defender a suit in which it is virtually certain the latter can take three successive tricks? How about setting up an example of it?

9:45 a. m. The story will be told in 20 Monday-through-Friday installments. As the second week of the story opens, Lina McLaidlaw (Margo) realizes that she has fallen in love with John Aysgarth (Tom Collins) but feels an instinctive fear, which is heightened when he leads her to a lonely hill-top and tells her "You know, I might have brought you here to kill you."

TAMIROFF, KELLY

The film character actor Akim Tamiroff and the Comedienne Pat Kelly, who came in as a guest star several weeks ago and hasn't left yet, will be heard on the "Stage Door Canteen" on Friday, March 3, at 9:30 p. m. over WBNS. With them will be Bert Lytell, master of ceremonies, and Raymond Paige's "Canteen" orchestra.

Dinah Shore, top girl singer of the airlines, this week was notified that her biography will be included in the forthcoming issue of "Who's Who In The Western Hemisphere."

ALAN LADD

Alan Ladd returns for another appearance on "Suspense," starring in "The Defense Rests," dramatic story of an ex-convict accused of murder, on Thursday at 7 p. m. over WBNS. Ladd is heard as the defendant, who is befriended and defended by a lawyer. The trial leads to an unexpected climax.

"SUSPICION"

Romance and a gnawing fear develop, as Margo and Tom Collins go into the second week of Alfred Hitchcock's "Suspicion," on "Star Playhouse," over NBC at

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

40. Colors, as cloth.
 42. Before.
 44. Evening sun god.

ACROSS

1. Wreath of flowers (Hawaii).
 2. Trim, as feathers.
 3. Projecting end of a church.
 4. Hovels.
 5. Macaws.
 6. Shore recess.
 7. Refresh.

DOWN

1. Short gaiter.
 2. Showily imitative of art.
 3. Inferior.

Tokens Expected To Simplify Purchases Under Rationing.

SHOPPING TIME
MAY BE REDUCED
BY 50 PERCENT

Local Merchants Hoping OPA
Promises Of Convenience
Prove Correct

PROGRAM STARTS MONDAY

New Issue To Be Given Out
Only As "Change" For
Point Coupons

The Office of Price Administration's new token system for food rationing will become operative Monday in Circleville and Pickaway county, the federal agency declaring that the rationing program will be greatly simplified, and local merchants hoping the declaration proves correct.

OPA claims that the change to the one-point token system means: Less stamps to handle and greater ease in counting up points when shopping. Demonstrations indicate that the use of ration tokens reduces shopping time by 50 percent.

Distribution of 130 million ration books will not have to be made as often since War Ration Book 4 will last approximately four times as long as in the past.

A saving of thousands of hours of work by volunteer workers.

A saving of tons of paper by less printing of ration books and forms.

OPA said Saturday that the new system will save the shopper considerable time in adding up the point value of her stamps since each red and blue stamp in Book 4 will be worth 10 points instead of 1, 2, 5 or 8, and she will receive tokens only in change. For example: If she buys a roast of beef that requires 43 points she will give the merchant five red stamps, making a total of 50 points. He will give her seven red tokens in change. If she should later need to buy a quarter pound of butter, which would require four points she could pay the merchant four tokens out of the previous purchase instead of giving him another stamp.

The validity of all red and blue stamps will be increased by approximately 12 weeks.

These longer validity periods will give the housewife a longer period over which to budget her points and should, therefore, help to discourage last minute rushes heretofore occasioned by shorter periods between expiration dates.

Tokens will be of value indefinitely.

Circleville banks where ration tokens have been available to merchants for the last several weeks report that practically all merchants have obtained their supplies and are now ready to start issuing them.

While Sunday is the first legal day for use of tokens, use will become general Monday since that will be the first shopping day for local housewives.

Following are some questions and answers about the token program:

Q. When will tokens be put into use?

A. February 27, 1944.

Q. Will only blue and red stamps in War Ration Book 4 be used in connection with the tokens?

A. After March 21, yes. Between February 27 and March 21, blue tokens may be given in change for either blue or green stamps; red tokens for red or brown stamps.

Q. Will the Red and Blue stamps be of the same value regardless of the numbers printed on them?

A. Yes, 10 points each.

Q. How many tokens will I receive "in change"?

A. Never over nine red or blue tokens and in most instances five of each will cover all needs.

Q. Will I be able to exchange a stamp for tokens?

A. No, tokens will be given only as change when making a purchase.

Q. How long will the red and blue stamps be good in Book Four?

A. The validity period of all red and blue stamps will be approximately 12 weeks.

Q. Will stamps be torn out as before (up or down) or across the book?

A. They will be used across the book—A's, B's, C's, D's, E's and so on.

Q. When will the brown stamps in War Ration Book Three and the green stamps in Book Four expire?

A. The Green stamps K, L and

HOW TO SHOP WITH RATION TOKENS

New System Saves Time, Trouble, Manpower and Paper

ALL RED and BLUE stamps in War Ration Book 4 are

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EACH STAMP WORTH 10 POINTS

THREE RED stamps become valid beginning Feb. 27: 8A, 8B and 8C

New stamps become valid every 2 weeks

EACH STAMP WORTH 10 POINTS

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RED and BLUE TOKENS are WORTH 1 POINT EACH

RED and BLUE TOKENS are used to make CHANGE for RED and BLUE stamps only when purchase is made

Use RED Tokens with RED Stamps the BLUE Tokens with BLUE Stamps

EXAMPLE: TOKEN—1 pt. STAMP—10 pts. TOTAL—11 pts.

TOKENS REMAIN VALID INDEFINITELY

IMPORTANT!

POINT VALUES of BROWN and GREEN STAMPS are NOT changed

BROWN STAMPS, Y and Z in Book No. 3 Good till Mar. 30, 1944

GREEN STAMPS, K, L and M in Book No. 4 Good till Mar. 30, 1944

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

As a jewel of gold in a swine's snout, so is a fair woman without discretion. — Proverbs 11:22.

Frank Fischer, superintendent of Circleville schools, has gone to Chicago to attend the meeting of the National Education association. The Morrison Hotel will be his headquarters. He will spend next week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Buskirk of Mingo street are parents of a son born Friday in Doctor's hospital, Columbus.

Mrs. Roger Downing, the former Janet Funk, who submitted to an operation in a Columbus hospital a week ago, is being removed Saturday to Berger hospital.

There will be a 50-50 dance, Saturday night from 9 to 12 at the Eagles Home. It is open to the public.

Mrs. Marie A. Goodman, hurt last week when she was hit by an automobile, is still in Berger hospital although she is showing marked improvement. Mrs. Goodman did not suffer any fractures, but has a badly bruised shoulder. She may be able to leave the hospital soon.

Loring Wittich, West Main street, who suffered a broken knee cap in an auto wreck several weeks ago, is able to make his way around town with the aid of crutches.

ADDITIONAL RAINFALL BENEFICIAL TO COUNTY

Another splendid rain was poured on soil of Circleville and Pickaway county Friday and Friday night, weather observers reporting .57 of an inch during the steady downpour.

The rain boosted the week's precipitation to more than two inches, one and one-half inches falling earlier in the week.

The rains were the first soaking downpours to be recorded in Pickaway county in several months, and their value cannot be measured in dollars and cents by farmers who have been fearful that winter wheat and pastures would be lost if the drought continued.

SCHOLARSHIP EXAMS TO BE HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL

Scholarship examinations for Circleville and Pickaway county high school seniors will be conducted in Circleville high school building Saturday, March 11. It had been planned to hold the competition the following week, but the state department of education has moved up the test. Many high school senior students usually take the examination.

M and Brown stamps Y and Z will remain valid through March 20, 1944.

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REPUBLICANS OF COUNTY INDORSE OFFICE SEEKERS

Republican executive committee Friday night indorsed Orin Dreisbach of Circleville township for another term on the Pickaway county board of elections, and also voted an indorsement for Claude Kraft of Ashville as the new clerk of the board.

Mr. Dreisbach is serving at present as chairman of the board. If Mr. Kraft is chosen as clerk, this being a foregone conclusion, Mr. Dreisbach will step out as chairman to make way for a Democrat, although retaining his board post.

The Republican meeting was held in common pleas courtroom, with Chairman Tom Renick reporting good attendance.

Several other candidates were applicants for board member and clerk.

Indorsement of Mr. Dreisbach will be sent to the secretary of state for approval, while the name of Mr. Kraft will be certified to the election board. It will take action at a meeting early in March.

Usually, Democrats on the board vote for a Democratic clerk, while Republicans support their party's choice. In case of a tie both names are sent to the secretary of state, the new clerk always being the person whose politics is similar to that of the state official.

Russell Imbler, a Democrat, is the present clerk, his term expiring March 1.

Other indorsements voted by the Republican committee include: Dr. Walter D. Brehm, Logan, for second term in congress; Evert Addison and Roscoe Walcutt, Columbus, for second terms in the Ohio senate, and H. E. Louis, New Holland, for second term as representative in the Ohio assembly.

Mr. Renick said Saturday that the committee will be recalled to consider a slate of delegates and alternates to be chosen for the state Republican convention to be held in the next few months.

WOODROW ECCARD SENDS PURPLE MEDAL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Eccard of Walnut township have received from their son, Private First Class Woodrow Eccard, the Purple Heart medal recently awarded him. PFC Eccard is in a hospital in North Africa convalescing from wounds suffered in action in Italy three months ago.

A member of Co. G, 36th division, U. S. infantry, PFC Eccard has been overseas since last March, February 24, 1944, marked the end of his second year in service.

Wilbur Brinker Quits Federal Post, Enters Race for Court Clerk

Wilbur E. Brinker, Walnut township, a Pickaway county farmer and an official of the Pickaway county Agriculture Conservation association for the last 10 years, seven of which have been served as vice-chairman, today announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for clerk of courts.

Mr. Brinker, who has obtained his petition from the election board, said that he has resigned his federal post effective immediately, conforming with regulations which prevent political activity on the part of employees. No successor has been appointed as yet.

The filing into politics is Mr. Brinker's first, the post he is seeking being held at present by A. L. Wilder, a Democrat, who is planning to run for reelection.

Mr. Brinker served for three years in the Pickaway A. A. office before becoming vice-chairman under Chairman John Boggs. During his successful work there he has become acquainted in every part of Pickaway county.

The candidate is a veteran of World War I, being in officer training in the U. S. navy at the time of the Armistice. He is a member of Howard Hall post, American Legion, and is a lieutenant in the auxiliary highway patrol. Mr. Brinker is also a seventh degree Granger, being a member of Nebraska Grange for many years.

Miss Martha White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. White of Derby, has enlisted in the WAVES, the women's reserve of the navy, and has been ordered to leave next Wednesday for Hunter college, New York, to start training.

Miss White is believed to be the first girl from the Derby community to go into the WAVES.

The recruit's mailing address will be: N. T. S., (W. R.) Bronx, New York City 63, N. Y.

NO PACK PRICE CHANGE
Maximum prices established for the 1943 fruit and vegetable pack will also apply to fruits and vegetables packed up to the time a 1944 pricing regulation is issued.

OPA said Saturday that any confusion concerning the prices is ended by the executive order. The ruling sets explicit ceiling prices and pricing formulas for such vegetables of the 1944 crop as snap beans, beets and tomatoes, now being packed in Texas and Florida.

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The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND
By DREW PEARSON

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House. But Murray was still indignant.

"I am fed up," he said, "with the conduct of unions which you and your type represent."

"Nobody can call me a Red-baiter," Murray continued. "I couldn't be a Red-baiter, of I wanted to. But now I can understand the protests of John L. Lewis during the Little Steel wage dispute as to who is running the labor movement."

LEFT WING BACKS DOWN

Murray was also bitter against Roosevelt and accused him of double-talk regarding his friendship for labor and his plans to draft labor.

Finally the left-wing unions which had wired the White House took a thirty-minute recess to discuss the matter. Then they came back ready to go along with Phil Murray and the CIO right wing.

Murray then entertained a motion to reaffirm the position of the CIO as previously adopted at Philadelphia—namely, against a national service act. This was unanimously adopted.

The left-wing unions justified their vote for this resolution on the grounds that they had been for Roosevelt's entire five-point program, including high taxes for business, etc. Since he probably would not get his other four points, they decided not to champion a national service act alone.

Note: Only other excitement at the meeting was a speech by Harry Bridges complaining that the War Labor Board was way behind with its decisions. He wanted to know why the labor members on the board didn't speed things up. This brought a hot rejoinder from Van A. Bittner, a CIO representative on the board, who made some none-too-complimentary remarks about Bridges. Bittner ended with: "You can't delouse a louse."

ROOSEVELT IN 1945

Every White House visitor who has the nerve to bring up the question has been trying to get something out of FDR about the fourth term. But the fishing has been poor—until one day recently, when Texas Congressman Lyndon Johnson tried his luck.

Johnson stumbled onto his catch without having to work for it. The discussion was about the troubles of a President who has an insurgent Congress on his hands. Johnson made the point that the next Congress may be Republican, and thus harder to deal with.

The President rose to the bait. He said he was not afraid of a Republican Congress. "If they buck me," he said, "I can make it tougher for them than I can for a Congress dominated by my own party."

The logic itself was interesting—that a Democratic President could fight more openly and boldly with a Republican Congress, and rally the public on his side.

But still more interesting was the disclosure that Roosevelt, perhaps caught off base, was thinking of the problems of the Presidency beyond 1944.

City and N & W Reach Agreement for Repair Of Grade Crossings

Satisfactory solution has been worked out between Circleville city officials and Norfolk and Western railroad officials for correcting crossing situations in Circleville, announcement being made that the city has put its approval on the condition of all crossings except at Clinton street where a walk will be built.

The agreement came during a conference at the freight station and concluded at the Clinton street crossing. Participating in the confab were W. H. Bettis, assistant N. and W. engineer; F. E. Taylor and J. W. Nelkirk, assistant superintendent of Portsmouth; John C. Goeller, council president; T. W. White, Ray Anderson and George Crites of council, and Clarence Helvering, service director.

A. V. Osborn, local agent for the N. and W., said Saturday: "It was unanimously agreed that, with the exception of the Clinton street problem that other crossings were in satisfactory condition. It was brought out in the

DEFERRED DRAFT GROUP FACING TOUGHER DAYS

Pickaway county draft registrants of military age were warned again Saturday by Major General Lewis B. Hershey that "tougher days" are ahead for them.

The warning came when Major General Hershey appeared before the senate agricultural committee to answer questions concerning farm labor and the draft.

The draft chief flatly declared that rough days are ahead for men now deferred because of occupation.

A week ago the national selective service director ordered draft boards to reopen all classifications of men deferred for agriculture to learn whether those enjoying deferments deserve them.

"We have to cut down on deferments," Hershey told the committee members. "The rules of yesterday are not those of today, and the rules of tomorrow will be worse."

Pickaway county draft office is already checking its files to determine if its pool of farm youths and men is as it should be. Persons found to be producing sufficient War Units to warrant their remaining on the farm will be permitted to stay there. Others will be put into classifications which will make them eligible for immediate calls into service.

COURT NEWS

PICKAWAY COUNTY Common Pleas
Howard W. Miller vs. Claude W. Work et al. Journal entry confirming return of sheriff and report of commission awarding estate to electors to take at appraised value; ordering payment of money to sheriff and executor to deliver deed and distribute assets.

Samuel P. Valentine vs. May Walters and others, court's opinion on motion of plaintiff filed.

Probate
George L. Kuhlwein estate, appointment of administratrix filed. Ferd Dumm estate, first and final account filed.

BITING DOG NOT RABID

Police Chief W. F. McCrady said Saturday that tests made of a dog which had bitten a small south end child disclosed that it was not rabid. The chief took the dog to Columbus Friday for tests.

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